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My Lord,

I have the honour to transmit, for the information of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, the Judicial and Criminal Statistics of Ireland for the year 1871, being the ninth year for which these Statistics have been collected and compiled.

I have, as in preceding years, prefixed an Introductory and Explanatory Report.

I have the honour to be, my Lord,

Your obedient servant,

W. Neilson Hancock.

The Most Hon. the Marquess of Hartington, M.P.,

Chief Secretary for Ireland.

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CRIMINAL AND JUDICIAL STATISTICS (IRELAND), 1871.

RETURNS FOR THE YEAR 1871,

Compiled by Order of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

PART I. POLICE—CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS—PRISONS.

1. *Constabulary and Police*.—Statements of the Police Establishments and Expenses; of the Criminal Classes known to the Police, and of the Number of Offences committed and Offenders apprehended: also, Statements of the Number of Inquests held by Coroners; Proceedings in Districts specially proclaimed.

2. *Criminal Proceedings*.—Criminal Proceedings at Assizes, Dublin Commission Court, and Quarter Sessions; Costs of Criminal Prosecutions

3. *Prisons*.—State of the County and County of City and Town Prisons, Number of Prisoners, Establishments, and Expenses, State of Bridewells, with Returns of Convict Prisons, Reformatory and Industrial Schools, and as to Criminal Lunatics in Asylums.

PART II. COMMON LAW—EQUITY AND CIVIL LAW.

The Superior Courts of Common Law;

The High Court of Chancery, the Landed Estates Court, the Court of Probate, the High Court of Admiralty, and the Court of Bankruptcy and Insolvency;

The Supreme Courts of Appeal, viz.—Her Majesty in Council, the House of Lords, the Privy Council, Ireland, the Court of Appeal in Chancery, the Exchequer Chamber, and Court of Criminal Appeal;

The Courts of the Chairmen of Counties and Recorders, Sheriffs' Duties, Local Charter Courts for the Recovery of Small Debts, Civil Jurisdiction at Quarter Sessions and Jurors' Sessions;

The Civil Jurisdiction of the Petty Sessions Courts.

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INTRODUCTORY AND EXPLANATORY REPORT.

PART I.—CRIMINAL STATISTICS.

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THE returns of Criminal Statistics in this volume are arranged in order similar to that adopted in the volume of English Criminal Statistics, and to compare with the returns in which the Irish Statistics have been collected and presented to Parliament since 1863, under the directions of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, and in compliance with an address presented by the House of Lords to Her Majesty.

As far as possible, the returns in the Appendix, relating to matters connected with each other, are grouped together. Thus the Police Tables show the establishments of the Police, the criminal classes known to the Police, the offences committed and the character of criminals, and grouped with these are the returns of Coroners which give the number of inquests held, distinguishing the cases in which the result of the inquest was the disclosure of crime, thus presenting points of comparison with the returns of crime made by the Police.

The next class includes returns of criminal proceedings at Assizes, the Commission Court, and Quarter Sessions, made by the Local Inspectors of Gaols; and with these are classed the returns of Crown Solicitors as to costs of Criminal proceedings.

The last group of Criminal Returns relates to the different places in which criminals are kept in confinement. Under the general head "Prisons," this group comprises returns from County Gaols, Bridewells, Convict Prisons, Reformatory Schools, Industrial Schools, and Lunatic Asylums.

In this Introductory Report the Statistics are divided more completely, according to subject matter, independent of the source from which the information is received, under the four following heads:—1st, Statistics of Crime; 2nd, Modes of Procedure for Punishing Crime; 3rd, Criminal Classes, and Places of Detention of Criminals; 4th, Staff Employed in the Suppression of Crime and Cost incurred.

CHAPTER I.—STATISTICS OF CRIME.

CHAPTER I. *Statistics of Crime.*

The statistics of serious crime committed in 1871, are more favourable than in any year since the Judicial Statistics were first in a complete shape in 1864.

The following table shows the indictable offences compared with the corresponding figures since the year 1864.— Comparison of crime in 1871 with crime in previous years. Indictable offences.

INDICTABLE OFFENCES NOT DISPOSED OF SUMMARILY.

Year.	Population.*	Number of Offences.	Actual Increase	Actual Decrease	For 10,000 of Population		
					Number	Increase.	Decrease
1864,	5,675,307	10,865	–	–	19·2	–	–
1865,	5,641,086	9,766	–	1,099	17·3	–	1·9
1866,	5,582,625	9,052	–	684	16·3	–	1·0
1867,	5,557,196	9,260	178	–	16·7	0·4	–
1868,	5,543,285	9,090	–	170	16·4	–	0·3
1869,	5,536,217	9,178	88	–	16·6	0·2	–
1870,	5,516,674	9,517	339	–	17·4	0·8	–
1871,	5,388,459†	8,155	–	1,362	15·1	–	2·3

* Estimated population for the middle of each year from Registrar-General's Returns.

† The population on the night of the Census 2nd April, 1871, was 5,402,759, but during the months of April, May and June, 1871, the Registrar General estimates a decrease in the population of 14,300 (*Vide* Quarterly Return of Marriages, Births, and Deaths, 11th September, 1871, p. 34.)

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The following table shows the comparison between 1871 and 1870 of these offences in detail

The different offences are divided into two classes—first, those in which the results were more favourable in 1871 than in 1870; and, secondly, those in which the results were more favourable in 1870 than in 1871.

In each class the offences are arranged according to the degree of difference between the years—those that contribute most to the general result coming first; the exact difference is stated in each case, and the degree by which the lesser number is below the greater added as a per-centage on a uniform principle for exact comparison.

Indictable Offences in 1871, compared with those in 1870	Total, 1871	Total, 1870	Actual Difference. Number in 1871 less than in 1870	Actual Difference. Number in 1870 less than in 1871	Difference per cent. Number in 1871 less than in 1870	Difference per cent. Number in 1870 less than in 1871
(A.) Offences not disposed of Summarily.					Per cent.	Per cent
I. *Statistics of* 1871 *more favourable than those of* 1870.						
Total offences of all kinds disposed of by indictment, . . .	8,155	9,517	1,362	–	14 3	–
Offences against property (without violence),	4,801	5,515	714	–	13 0	–
,, unclassified, . .	494	892	398	–	44 6	–
,, against property (with violence), .	497	657	160	–	24 4	–
,, malicious, against property, .	631	764	133	–	17 4	–
Assaults, common, and on peace officers, .	377	453	76	–	16 8	–
Crimes against human life (including murder, attempt to murder, shooting at, wounding, stabbing, &c., to do bodily harm, manslaughter, concealing birth of infants, endangering safety of passengers in railways, and unlawfully abandoning children under 2 years of age), . .	350	354	4	–	1 1	–
Perjury, ...	19	21	2	–	9 5	–
II. *Statistics of* 1870 *more favourable than those of* 1871.						
Bigamy, child-stealing, and attempts to procure miscarriage, ...	10	9	–	1	–	10 0
Forgery, and offences against the currency, .	75	73	–	2	–	2 7
Rape, and assault with intent to ravish, . .	114	111	–	3	–	2 6
Riots, breach of the peace, &c., . .	106	100	–	6	–	5 7
Unnatural offences, ...	17	6	–	11	–	64 7
Attempts to commit suicide, . . .	63	47	–	16	–	25 4
Assault and inflicting bodily harm, . .	601	515	–	86	–	14 3

This table shows a decrease in 1871 of 4 in crimes against human life, of 133 in malicious offences against property, of 160 against property with violence, and of 714 in offences against property without violence. The decrease varied in per-centage from 1 to 44 per cent The unfavourable symptoms in 1871 were an increase of 86 in assaults and inflicting bodily harm, or 14 3 per cent., and in attempts to commit suicide 16, or 25 per cent On the whole the decrease of 1,362, or 14 per cent., is a most favourable result, being a greater decrease than in any preceding year The only figure in this comparison that could be affected by the mode of taking the statistics is that of offences against property without violence, the Police having been directed in 1871 to omit cases of reputed theft of the value of 5*s.* and under, where no one was arrested or prosecuted, as such cases had been omitted in the English statistics; even if the entire diminution in this class of theft of 714 were ascribed to this source, deducting this from 1,362 the diminution in all crimes would still leave a decrease of 648, and make the serious crimes of 1871 less than in any preceding year since 1864.

[Table.

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The following table shows the offences determined summarily compared with the corresponding figures since 1864 :—

OFFENCES DETERMINED SUMMARILY.*

YEAR	Population.	Number of Offences.	Actual Increase	Actual Decrease.	Per 10,000 of Population		
					Number	Increase.	Decrease.
1864	5,675,307	232,363	–	–	409·5	–	–
1865	5,041,086	233,879	1,516	–	414·6	5·1	
1866	5,582,620	236,835	2,956	–	423·8	9·2	–
1867	5,557,196	259,691	22,856	–	467·3	43·5	–
1868	5,543,285	238,302	–	21,389	430·6	–	36·7
1869	5,536,217	239,390	1,088	–	432·1	1·5	–
1870	5,516,674	234,005	–	5,385	424·1	–	8·0
1871	5,388,459	220,179	–	13,826	408·6	–	15·5

This table shows a decrease in 1871 of 13,826 on the 234,005 offences determined summarily in 1870—more than double the decrease in the preceding year—and reducing the offences determined summarily to a lower absolute amount and lower number per 10,000 of population than in any year since the statistics were in a complete shape.

The following table shows the different offences determined summarily, classified according to the degree in which the statistics of each were more favourable in 1871 than 1870, or the reverse :—

OFFENCES DISPOSED OF SUMMARILY IN 1871, COMPARED WITH THOSE OF 1870	Total, 1871	Total, 1870	Actual Difference		Difference per cent.	
			Number on 1871 less than on 1870	Number on 1870 less than on 1871	Number on 1871 less than in 1870	Number on 1870 less than in 1871
I. *Statistics of* 1871 *more favourable than those of* 1870					Per cent	Per cent
Total, ...	220,179	234,005	13,826	–	5·9	–
Offences against Ways Act, . .	33,354	38,914	5,560	–	14·3	–
Drunkenness, Drunk and Disorderly, .	91,334	96,116	4,782	–	5·0	–
Offences unclassified, . . .	15,263	16,520	1,257	–	7·7	–
„ against Vagrant Act—Prostitutes, .	2,494	3,673	1,179	–	32·1	–
„ „ Weights and Measures Acts, .	2,384	3,487	603	–	17·3	–
Common Assaults, . . .	32,805	33,340	535	–	1·6	–
Stealing, ...	3,676	4,210	534	–	12·7	–
Malicious and wilful destroying of property, .	8,128	8,613	485	–	5·6	–
Offences against Licensed Victuallers Acts, .	3,348	3,801	453	–	11·9	–
„ „ Local Acts, . .	1,732	2,089	357	–	17·1	–
„ „ Police Acts, . .	2,182	2,536	354	–	14·0	–
„ „ Vagrants Acts, other than Prostitutes,	1,695	1,979	284	–	14·4	–
„ „ Fishery Acts, . .	1,223	1,389	166	–	12·0	–
„ „ Poor Law Acts, . .	552	660	108	–	16·4	–
„ „ Factory Acts, . .	35	94	59	–	62·8	–
„ „ Lord's Day Act, . .	291	350	59	–	17·0	–
Disobeying Bastardy Orders, . .	12	59	47	–	79·7	–
Offences relating to Masters, Servants, Apprentices, &c, . . .	2,427	2,471	44	–	1·8	–
„ against Mercantile Marine Acts, .	194	195	1	–	0·5	–
Aggravated Assaults on Women and Children,	509	510	1	–	0·2	–
II *Statistics of* 1870 *more favourable than those of* 1871						
Offences against Chimney Sweepers Act, .	9	8	–	1	–	11·1
„ „ Pawnbrokers Acts, .	231	171	–	60	–	26·0
Cruelty to Animals, . . .	944	860	–	84	–	8·9
Offences against Game Acts, . .	695	558	–	137	–	19·7
„ „ Cattle Plague Order, . .	163	24	–	139	–	85·2
„ „ Revenue laws, . . .	984	748	–	236	–	24·0
„ „ Mutiny Acts, . .	823	472	–	351	–	42·6
„ „ Nuisances Acts, . .	4,710	3,892	–	818	–	17·4
Assaults on Peace Officers, Breaches of the Peace, &c,	7,482	6,266	–	1,216	–	16·2

* In the Tables of Summary Offences the figures indicate the number of persons proceeded against. In the Tables of Indictable Offences the figures indicate the number of crimes committed.

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Treasonable offences.

It appears from the foregoing table that the decrease in 1871 was spread over a large number of the offences determined summarily, and was very marked in three of the most important of these offences—Drunkenness 4,782, stealing 534, and malicious and wilful destroying of property 485.

The following figures show the total number of treasonable offences in Ireland for each of the last six years, the numbers returned by the Police under the head "Having Arms in a Proclaimed District," being omitted in each case, as such offences are not necessarily treasonable in their nature:—

	Number of offences	Decrease
Treasonable Offences in Ireland in 1866,	535	–
" " 1867,	530	5
" " 1868,	111	419
" " 1869,	47	64
" " 1870,	37	10
" " 1871,	7	30

The treasonable offences, which in 1866 and 1867 exceeded 500, were reduced in 1870 to 37, and have fallen to 7 in 1871. These figures indicate that the outburst of treason which took place in 1866 and 1867, may be treated as having come to an end.

Agrarian crime

The statistics of agrarian crime for 1871 indicate a very satisfactory diminution from the great increase in 1869 and 1870. To estimate the relative importance of the diminution, it is necessary to refer to the statistics of agrarian crime as indicated by outrages specially reported by the Constabulary, from 1862, when the last maximum of crime occurred which preceded the maximum in 1870, as shown in the following table:—

Agrarian Crime Specially Reported.

Year.	Number of Outrages	Increase	Decrease
1862,	363	–	–
1863,	349	–	14
1864,	304	–	45
1865,	178	–	126
1866,	87	–	91
1867,	123	36	–
1868,	160	37	–
1869,	767	607	–
1870,	1,329	562	–
1871,	368	–	961

This table shows that the outburst of agrarian crime which took place in 1869 and 1870 has undergone a remarkable diminution. That this diminution is likely to be progressive is shown by the statistics of the first six months of 1872, as compared with the first six months of 1870 and 1871.

Agrarian Outrages Specially Reported by the Constabulary

—	Number	Increase	Decrease
First Six Months, 1870,	1,219	–	–
" " 1871,	242	–	977
" " 1872,	116	–	126

Whilst agrarian crimes are rapidly subsiding, the number (116) occurring in the first six months of 1872 is still above half the number in 1865, 1866, 1867, or 1868, the number in the whole of 1866 having been as low as 87.

On examining the character of some of the more serious agrarian crimes in 1872, it appears that while connected with land, they relate, not to disputes about compensation for improvements or disturbance between landlord and tenant—adequate jurisdiction to dispose of which was conferred on the local Courts under the Landlord and Tenant

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Act, 1870—but several of them have arisen out of disputes about rights of way between adjoining tenants of the same or adjoining estates, questions of title, and equitable questions between families of tenants, or between small proprietors, with which the Irish County Court is not competent to deal, having in these respects a more limited jurisdiction in some of these branches than the corresponding Courts in Scotland, and in others than the corresponding Courts in England.

Proceedings under Peace Preservation Act, 1870.

Before referring to the distribution of crime in counties, it is necessary to notice the districts specially proclaimed under the Peace Preservation Act, Ireland, 1870, and the districts which have been for some years under the Peace Preservation Act of 1856—which makes it obligatory to have licence to carry arms—the provisions of which are incorporated in the first part of the Peace Preservation Act, 1870.

The character of the proceedings taken in all the districts specially proclaimed is shown in the following table:—

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PEACE PRESERVATION ACT (1870) IN DISTRICTS SPECIALLY PROCLAIMED

Number of warrants issued to search for arms (sec. 10),	201
Number of summonses issued to persons to give evidence (sec. 13),	121
Number of public-houses closed by order of Lord Lieutenant,	120
Number of strangers arrested and discharged without security being required (sec 25),	114
Number of persons arrested at night and acquitted on examination (sec. 23),	90
Number of persons arrested at night and punished (sec 23),	26
Number of persons convicted of carrying arms without licence (sec. 6),	19
Number of warrants issued to search for documents to handwriting of persons suspected of writing threatening letters (sec 15),	12
Number of persons punished for refusing to give evidence (sec 13),	4
Number of notices issued by Lord Lieutenant revoking licences to carry arms (sec 19),	4
Number of strangers arrested and committed to Gaol in default of security (sec 25),	4
Number of strangers arrested and discharged on giving security (sec 25),	1
Number of warrants issued to detain absconding witnesses (sec 38),	1
Number of persons punished for non-delivery of arms on revocation of licence (sec 19),	–
Total Proceedings,	717

The distribution of these offences in the different counties or parts of counties specially proclaimed is shown in the following table. As the Act was not in force for the entire of 1870, and was put in force at different dates towards the end of April, but in one case in August and in two cases in November, 1870, columns have been added, showing the number of offences in the last six months of 1871 with the numbers in the last six months of 1870.

NUMBER OF PROCEEDINGS (UNDER THE PEACE PRESERVATION ACT, 1870) IN 1871, WITH COMPARISON BETWEEN LAST SIX MONTHS OF 1871 AND 1870

Districts *specially* proclaimed under second part of Act.	1871–	Last Six Months of 1871	Last Six Months of 1870	Number in Last Six Months	
				Of 1870 less than 1871	Of 1871 less than 1870
	Number	Number	Number		
Cavan (two baronies and part of third),	59	33	45	–	12
King's County (parts of five baronies),	44	15	67	–	52
Longford (parts of two baronies),	22	8	8	–	–
Mayo (whole county),	149	72	56	16	–
Meath, "	183	93	114	–	21
Roscommon (parts of two baronies),	8	4	7	–	3
Sligo (two baronies),	8	4	14	–	10
Tipperary (parts of three baronies),	8	1	8	–	7
Westmeath (whole county),	236	60	126	–	66
Total,	717	290	445	–	155

It appears from this table that in the county of Mayo alone has the number of proceedings under this Act in the last six months of 1871 been greater than in the corresponding period of 1870, and that the increase was only 16, or 22 per cent, whilst in Longford there has been no change, and in all the other specially proclaimed districts

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there has been a decrease, so that the aggregate of proceedings in specially proclaimed districts (290) in the last six months of 1871, showed a decrease of 155, or 35 per cent. below the number (445) in the last six months of 1870.

The provision making it necessary to have a licence to carry arms, under the first part of the Peace Preservation Act, 1870 (incorporating the provision of the Peace Preservation Act of 1856), extends to the whole of the provinces of Leinster, Munster, and Connaught, and to the counties of Armagh, Cavan, and Monaghan, and parts of Antrim, Donegal, Down, Fermanagh, and Londonderry, in Ulster. Dublin, Belfast, Cork, and all the principal cities and towns under separate Commissions of the Peace, being subject to the same restriction, except the town of Carrickfergus

Distribution of Crime in Counties and Districts.

The distribution of crime in counties and districts is shown in the two following tables, one having relation to indictable offences not disposed of summarily, and the other relating to offences disposed of summarily.

Indictable Offences (not determined summarily) in 1871 compared with Population in Counties and other Districts having Separate Criminal Jurisdiction.	Population, 1871	Number of Indictable Offences not determined Summarily in 1871.	Number in every 10,000 of Population
Total of Ireland,	5,402,759	8,155	15·0
Above 6 times average of 15 crimes in 10,000 population ·			
Metropolitan Police District of Dublin,	337,089	4,401	130·3
Above average —			
County of City of Cork,	76,382	200	25·5
Average 15 crimes in 10,000 of population :—			
Westmeath,	78,416	118	15·0
Below average —			
Longford,	64,408	90	14·0
County of City of Limerick,	39,328	55	13·8
Leitrim,	95,324	133	13·9
Kildare,	84,198	114	13·5
Dublin,	68,036	90	13·2
King's County,	75,781	81	10·7
Wicklow,	78,509	81	10·3
County of City of Waterford,	23,337	22	9·8
Carlow,	51,472	50	9·7
Tipperary, South Riding,	123,334	116	9·4
Tipperary, North Riding,	92,886	86	9·3
Clare,	147,994	135	9·1
Kilkenny (including City),	109,302	97	8·9
Queen's County,	77,071	67	8·7
Monaghan,	112,785	97	8·6
Meath,	94,450	78	8·3
Limerick,	151,485	120	7·9
Louth,	69,809	54	7·7
Below half of average —			
Cork, East Riding,	261,384	194	7·5
Tyrone,	215,668	155	7·2
Cavan,	140,555	101	7·2
Galway (including Town),	248,257	174	7·0
County of Town of Drogheda,	14,389	10	6·9
Cork, West Riding,	176,280	120	6·8
Kerry,	196,014	131	6·7
Armagh,	179,221	116	6·5
Mayo,	245,855	150	6·1
Sligo,	115,311	70	6·1
Fermanagh,	92,688	50	5·4
Wexford,	132,506	70	5·3
Town of Belfast,	174,394	92	5·3
Roscommon,	141,246	71	5·0
Donegal,	217,992	105	4·8
Waterford,	99,488	44	4·4
Londonderry (including City),	173,932	73	4·2
Below a fourth of average :—			
Down,	277,775	79	2·8
Antrim,	235,936	64	2·7
County of Town of Carrickfergus,	9,452	1	1·1

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On examining this table, with reference to the Peace Preservation Act, it will be observed that the most marked features correspond, to a large extent, with the proceedings under the Act. The county of the town of Carrickfergus, which is the only jurisdiction in Ireland of the same class where no licence is required for carrying arms, is in the exceptionally favourable position of having the least serious crime, only a proportion of 1·1 in 10,000 of population, while the average of Ireland is 15, and while crime reaches in the Dublin Metropolitan Police District a proportion of no less than 130·3.

Again, of the six counties of which one is wholly and the rest partially exempted from licence to carry arms, three are counties standing next to Carrickfergus in freedom from crime; two, Antrim and Down (exclusive of the town of Belfast), are below a fourth of the average of crime in Ireland, being 2·7 and 2·8 in the 10,000 of population; and Londonderry is 4·2; presenting a contrast to the counties at large showing the greatest amount of crime—Westmeath, 15, and Longford, 14, which are in whole or in part specially proclaimed.

Three counties, on the other hand, which are amongst the first six showing the highest degree of crime, are also amongst those in which other special provisions of the Peace Preservation Act were put in force.

The most marked feature, however, disclosed by this table, is one that was particularly noticed last year, viz, the extent to which crime is concentrated in towns in Ireland.

Thus whilst the average of all Ireland of indictable offences not disposed of summarily is 15, the crime in the Dublin Metropolitan Police district reached 130·3 in the 10,000 of population; and it gives a more definite conception of the matter to notice that of the 8,155 indictable offences not disposed of summarily in Ireland, 4,401 or more than half occurred in the Dublin Metropolitan Police district.

That this is only part of a general law, of which Dublin is an extreme case, is shown by some other figures:—

Number of Crimes in each 10,000 of Population.

Districts	In Urban District.	Adjoining County	Excess in Urban District.	Excess per cent.
Dublin Metropolis,	130·3	13·2	117·1	89·9
Cork City,	25·5	7·5	18·0	70·6
Waterford City,	9·8	4·4	5·4	55·1
Belfast,	5·5	2·7	2·6	49·1
Limerick City,	13·5	7·9	5·9	42·8

It appears from this table that the excess of crime in urban districts, as compared with the adjoining county, is, in case of Dublin, 89·9 per cent.; in Cork, 70·6 per cent; in Waterford, 55·1 per cent.; in Belfast, 49·1 per cent.; and in Limerick, 42·8 per cent.

The operation of the system of electoral division rating has been to concentrate the very poor into towns in Ireland, and so to increase the class in which the crimes of poverty prevail; and the recommendation of the Committee of the House of Commons of the present Session to establish union rating as in England, will, if carried into effect, have a tendency to check crimes arising from the concentration of the poor.

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Distribution of Offences determined summarily, in Counties and Districts.

The distribution of offences determined summarily is shown in the following table :—

Persons proceeded against for Offences determined Summarily in 1871, compared with Population in Counties and other Districts with District Criminal Jurisdiction.	Population in 1871.	Number of Persons proceeded against in 1871 for Offences disposed of Summarily	Proportion of Persons proceeded against in each 10,000 of Population
Total of Ireland,	5,402,759	220,179	407·5
Above double average, 407·5 offenders in 10,000 population :—			
Metropolitan District of Dublin,	337,589	37,483	1,110·3
County of City of Cork,	78,382	8,576	1,093·3
County of City of Waterford,	23,337	2,239	959·4
Above average :—			
Town of Belfast,	174,394	12,508	717·2
County of City of Limerick,	39,823	2,678	672·4
Tipperary, South Riding,	123,324	6,024	488·4
Kildare,	84,198	4,113	488·4
Limerick,	151,485	7,224	476·9
Kerry,	196,014	8,450	431·1
Westmeath,	78,416	3,367	429·4
County of Town of Drogheda,	14,389	613	426·0
Queen's County,	77,071	3,224	418·2
Wicklow,	78,509	3,201	407·7
Below average :—			
Louth,	69,869	2,826	404·3
Galway (including Town),	248,257	9,933	400·1
King's County,	75,781	2,964	391·1
Clare,	147,994	5,776	390·3
Cork, West Riding,	176,280	6,602	374·5
Longford,	64,408	2,371	368·1
Londonderry (including City),	175,932	6,401	368·0
Tipperary, North Riding,	92,886	3,376	365·1
Meath,	94,480	3,449	363·4
Cork, East Riding,	261,384	9,173	350·9
Cavan,	140,555	4,851	345·1
Dublin,	68,036	2,320	341·0
Kilkenny (including City),	109,302	3,544	324·2
Leitrim,	95,324	2,952	309·7
Roscommon,	141,246	4,125	292·0
Sligo,	115,311	3,345	290·1
Wexford,	132,806	3,753	283·2
Carlow,	51,472	1,420	275·9
Fermanagh,	92,688	2,548	274·9
Mayo,	245,855	6,505	264·6
Monaghan,	112,785	2,919	258·8
Tyrone,	215,668	5,499	255·0
Armagh,	179,221	4,557	254·3
Antrim,	235,936	5,841	247·6
Waterford,	99,483	2,360	237·2
Donegal,	217,992	4,842	222·1
Down,	277,775	6,059	218·1
Below half the average:—			
County of Town of Carrickfergus	9,452	174	184·0

The result of this table coincides to a large extent with the preceding—that of the table of indictable offences not determined summarily.

The county of the town of Carrickfergus appears again the lowest as to crime—a proportion of only 184 in 10,000 of population, as compared with a maximum of 1,110·3 in the Dublin Metropolitan Police district, and with 407·5 the average of Ireland.

Down, Antrim, and Tyrone, three of the counties favoured as to licences for carrying arms, are amongst the six lowest as to crime. The specially proclaimed districts are not remarkable for minor offences, as only one of them (Westmeath) is above the average, and that by a small amount, 429·4, as compared with an average of 407·5.

The prevalence of offences in towns is very marked. All the town districts (except

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Carrickfergus) are specially marked by the statistics, appearing at the head of the list, and for very large numbers. Thus:—

Proportion of Persons Proceeded against in each 10,000 of Population

Districts.	In Urban District.	Adjoining County	Excess in Urban District.	Excess per cent.
Waterford City,	959·4	237·2	722·2	75·3
Dublin Metropolis,	1,110·3	341·0	769·3	69·3
Cork City,	1,093·3	350·9	742·4	67·9
Belfast,	717·2	247·6	469·6	65·5
Limerick,	672·4	476·9	195·5	29·1

The distribution of crime in 1871 is compared with that in 1870 in the following table —

Distribution of Crime in 1871 compared with Distribution of Crime in 1870.

Distribution of Crime in 1871, compared with Distribution in 1870	Indictable Offences not determined summarily		Proportion to Population in 1871.	Proportion to Population in 1870	Difference	
	Total in 1871.	Total in 1870.			Statistics more favourable to 1870	Statistics more favourable to 1871.
Total of Ireland,	8,155	9,517	Per 10,000 15·0	Per 10,000 17·7	Per 10,000 –	Per 10,000. 2·7
Districts showing a decrease of Crime —						
Dublin Metropolitan Police District,	4,401	5,186	130·3	153·6	–	23·3
Kildare,	114	213	15·5	25·3	–	11·8
Westmeath,	118	208	15·0	26·5	–	11·5
Meath,	78	178	8·3	18·8	–	10·5
Tipperary, South Riding,	116	195	9·4	15·8	–	6·4
Mayo,	150	265	6·1	10·8	–	4·7
King's County,	81	111	10·7	14·6	–	3·9
Longford,	90	114	14·0	17·7	–	3·7
Cavan,	101	149	7·2	10·6	–	3·4
Roscommon,	71	117	5·0	8·3	–	3·3
Louth,	54	76	7·7	10·9	–	3·2
Queen's County,	67	90	8·7	11·7	–	3·0
Waterford,	44	68	4·4	6·8	–	2·4
County of City of Waterford,	22	27	9·8	11·6	–	1·8
Armagh,	116	149	6·5	8·3	–	1·8
Wexford,	70	91	5·3	6·9	–	1·6
Londonderry (including City),	73	98	4·2	5·6	–	1·4
Kerry,	131	159	6·7	8·1	–	1·4
Carlow,	50	56	9·7	10·9	–	1·2
Limerick,	120	136	7·9	9·0	–	1·1
Sligo,	70	83	6·1	7·2	–	1·1
Dublin,	90	95	13·2	14·0	–	0·8
Kilkenny (including City),	97	106	8·9	9·6	–	0·7
Wicklow,	81	86	10·3	11·0	–	0·7
Monaghan,	97	101	8·6	9·0	–	0·4
Down,	79	87	2·8	3·1	–	0·3
Crimes stationary —						
Carrickfergus,	1	1	1·1	1·1	–	–
County of Town of Drogheda,	10	10	6·9	6·9	–	–
Galway (including Town),	174	174	7·0	7·0	–	–
Districts showing an increase of Crime —						
Fermanagh,	50	46	5·4	5·0	0·4	–
Tipperary, North Riding,	86	82	9·3	8·8	0·5	–
Cork, West Riding,	120	109	6·8	6·2	0·6	–
Antrim,	64	50	2·7	2·1	0·6	–
Cork, East Riding,	194	175	7·5	6·7	0·8	–
Tyrone,	155	126	7·2	5·8	1·4	–
Donegal,	105	68	4·8	3·1	1·7	–
Town of Belfast,	92	54	5·3	3·0	2·3	–
Clare,	135	94	9·1	6·4	2·7	–
Cork City,	200	176	25·5	22·5	3·0	–
County of City of Limerick,	55	41	13·8	10·3	3·5	–
Leitrim,	133	67	13·9	7·0	6·9	–

In this table it is satisfactory to observe that the decrease in crime in 1871 has been most marked in some of the districts where crime is highest in both years.

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Thus, in the Dublin Metropolitan Police District, which shows the highest amount of crime, the diminution is 23·3 in the 10,000 of population, while the average decrease in all Ireland is only 2·7.

In Westmeath, in which the crime was 26·5 in the 10,000 in 1870, the large reduction of 11·5 in serious crime has brought it down to the average of 15 of 1871.

In Meath and Longford the large reduction has brought the crime, which was excessive in 1870, below the lower average of 1871.

In the districts which show an increase of crime, it has in only one case exceeded an increase of 3·5, and in Leitrim, where the increase has been 6·9, it has not raised the crime above the average.

The only case where the crime is above average amongst the districts where there has been an increase, is the city of Cork, from some of the causes connected with town crime, the excess of which has been already referred to.

The distribution of offences determined summarily in 1871, compared with 1870, is shown in the following table:—

DISTRIBUTION OF OFFENCES DETERMINED SUMMARILY IN 1871, COMPARED WITH DISTRIBUTION IN 1870.	Persons proceeded against for Offences determined Summarily		Proportion to Population in 1871	Proportion to Population in 1870	Difference	
	Total in 1871.	Total in 1870			Statistics more favourable in 1870	Statistics more favourable in 1871
Total of Ireland,	220,179	234,005	407·5	433·1	–	25·6
Districts showing a decrease of Offences.—						
Dublin Metropolitan Police District,	37,483	47,310	1,110·3	1,401·4	–	291·1
Town of Belfast,	12,503	15,117	717·2	866·8	–	149·6
Tipperary, North Riding,	3,376	4,253	365·1	458·0	–	92·9
Wicklow,	3,201	3,791	407·7	482·9	–	75·2
Carlow,	1,420	1,721	275·9	333·4	–	57·5
Louth,	2,626	3,191	404·8	457·1	–	52·3
Armagh,	4,557	5,183	254·3	289·2	–	34·9
Kildare,	4,113	4,365	488·4	518·4	–	30·0
King's County,	2,964	3,178	391·1	419·4	–	28·3
Tipperary, South Riding,	6,024	6,355	488·4	515·3	–	26·9
Queen's County,	3,224	3,403	413·2	441·5	–	23·3
Donegal,	4,842	5,330	222·1	244·5	–	22·4
Limerick County,	7,224	7,541	476·9	497·8	–	20·9
Longford,	2,371	2,503	368·1	388·6	–	20·5
Mayo,	6,505	6,832	264·6	277·9	–	13·3
Down,	6,009	6,362	218·1	229·0	–	10·9
County of Town of Drogheda,	613	626	426·0	435·0	–	9·0
County of City of Limerick,	2,618	2,712	672·4	680·9	–	8·5
Cork, West Riding,	6,602	6,746	374·5	382·7	–	8·2
Cork, East Riding,	9,173	9,342	350·9	357·4	–	6·5
Sligo,	3,345	3,407	290·1	295·5	–	5·4
County of Town of Carrickfergus,	174	179	184·0	189·4	–	5·4
Dublin,	2,320	2,351	341·0	345·5	–	4·5
Waterford,	2,360	2,384	237·2	239·6	–	2·4
Tyrone,	5,499	5,500	255·0	255·0	–	–
Districts showing an increase of Offences.—						
Wexford,	3,753	3,747	283·2	282·8	0·4	–
Antrim,	5,841	5,758	247·6	244·0	3·6	–
Kerry,	8,450	8,217	431·1	419·2	11·9	–
County of City of Cork,	8,570	8,453	1,093·3	1,079·1	14·2	–
Kilkenny (including City),	3,544	3,382	324·2	306·6	17·6	–
Meath,	3,449	3,239	363·4	342·3	20·6	–
Galway (including Town),	9,933	9,413	400·1	379·3	20·8	–
Monaghan,	2,919	2,679	258·8	237·5	21·3	–
Cavan,	4,851	4,443	345·1	316·1	29·0	–
Roscommon,	4,125	3,687	292·0	261·0	31·0	–
Fermanagh,	2,548	2,228	274·9	240·4	34·5	–
Leitrim,	2,952	2,617	309·7	274·5	35·2	–
County of City of Waterford,	2,239	2,156	959·4	923·9	35·5	–
Westmeath,	3,367	3,026	429·4	385·9	43·5	–
Londonderry (including City),	6,401	5,302	368·0	304·8	63·2	–
Clare,	5,776	5,966	390·3	303·1	87·2	–

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This table shows that the largest decreases have been in Dublin Metropolitan Police District, Belfast, Tipperary (North Riding), and Wicklow, which were all above the average in 1870, and the result has been to bring Tipperary (North Riding) below the average of 1871, and Wicklow almost to the average.

The only increases which have brought any district above the average in 1871, are Westmeath, 429 4, and Kerry, 431 1, above average of 407 5, in 1871, and the county of the city of Waterford, 959 4, and county of city of Cork, 1,093 3, the latter cases being connected with the important question of the large amount of town crimes in Ireland.

Statistics of Irish Crime compared with corresponding Statistics in England and Wales.

In the following tables the statistics of crime in Ireland for the year ended 31st December, 1871, are compared with the corresponding statistics of crime in England and Wales for the year ended 29th September, 1870, the date up to which the returns are made which are included in the Judicial and Criminal Statistics for England and Wales presented to Parliament in 1871.

The tables are arranged on the plan adopted in the Irish statistics for last year. The total is given first, and the different offences given in the order in which they correspond with the general result, those offences which most closely correspond with the general result coming first, and those which differ most from the general result coming last.

Indictable offences not determined summarily.

Indictable Offences (not disposed of summarily) in 1871 compared with those in England and Wales in 1870	Ireland, 1871 Total.	Number on a portion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland.*	Actual Difference.		Difference per cent.	
			Irish number less than English Proportionate number.	English Proportionate number less than Irish number.	Irish number less than English Proportionate number.	English Proportionate number less than Irish number.
Irish Statistics more favourable than English.					Per cent.	Per cent.
Total Indictable Offences of all kinds,	8,155	12,463	4,308	–	34·6	–
Offences against property, without violence,	4,601	9,845	5,044	–	51·2	–
Offences against property, with violence,	497	1,246	749	–	65·2	–
Forgery, and offences against the currency,	75	241	166	–	68·9	–
Attempt to commit suicide,	63	187	124	–	66·3	–
Unnatural offences,	17	43	26	–	60·4	–
Bigamy, child-stealing, and attempts to procure miscarriage,	10	30	20	–	66·7	–
Perjury,	19	39	20	–	1·3	–
Rape, and assaults with intent to ravish,	114	131	17	–	13·0	–
English Statistics more favourable than Irish.						
Offences against human life (including murder, attempt to murder, shooting at, stabbing, &c., to do bodily harm, manslaughter, endangering safety of passengers on railways, concealing birth of infants, and unlawfully abandoning children under two years of age),	350	301	–	49	–	14·0
Riot, breach of the peace, &c.,	106	11	–	95	–	89·6
Assaults, common, and on Peace Officers,	377	57	–	320	–	84·9
Unclassified offences,	494	100	–	394	–	79·8
Malicious offences against property,	631	145	–	486	–	77·0
Assaults, and inflicting bodily harm,	601	87	–	514	–	85·5

It appears from this table that the Irish statistics of indictable offences are more favourable than the English in the total number of indictable offences, not disposed of summarily, to the extent of 4,308, or 34 6 per cent.

* In this and all subsequent tables in which the English figures are estimated according to population for the purpose of comparison with the Irish figures, the population of England and Wales is taken for the middle of 1870, as ascertained from the Registrar-General's Office, at 22,457,366, and the population of Ireland for the middle of 1871, as returned by the Registrar-General, at 5,360,459 These numbers show that the population of the former country is 4·17 times greater than that of the latter, and by this proportion for all tables similar to the above, the figures given in the English Judicial and Criminal Statistics for 1870 have been divided.

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This proportion corresponds very closely with the proportion given last year in the comparison of Irish statistics of 1870 with English of 1869 (33 per cent.)

The characteristics of the offences follow the same general law. Irish statistics are more favourable than the English in 1871–70, in the case of immoral offences, from 13 to 66·7 per cent; in crimes against property, other than malicious, from 51·2 to 68·9 per cent.; in perjury, 51·3 per cent.; and in attempts to commit suicide, 66·3 per cent. In 1870–69 the Irish statistics were more favourable than the English in immoral offences, from 12 to 85 per cent; in crimes against property, from 51 to 77 per cent.; perjury, 43 per cent.; and attempts to commit suicide, 77 per cent.

The crimes in which the English statistics are more favourable than the Irish are riot and assaults of various classes, ranging from 84·9 per cent. to 89·6 per cent.; malicious offences against property, 77 per cent.; in unclassed offences, 79·8 per cent.; and offences against the lives of others, 14 per cent. In the comparison of 1870–69 riots and assaults in England and Wales were from 77 to 81 per cent less; malicious offences, 84 per cent. less; unclassed offences, 89 per cent less; and crimes against the lives of others, 4 per cent. less.

The above comparison relates entirely to indictable offences not disposed of summarily; but in both countries Justices have power to deal with certain cases of theft, assaults, and malicious injuries to property, either summarily or by indictment. As the Courts of Petty Sessions are somewhat differently constituted in Ireland and England and Wales, from the presence of official or paid Magistrates in all districts in Ireland, rural as well as urban, the following table of offences disposed of summarily, belonging to classes that possibly might be indicted, has been constructed and the comparison carried out in it on the same plan as in the preceding table:—

Indictable offences disposed of summarily.

Indictable Offences disposed of summarily in Ireland in 1871 compared with those in England and Wales in 1870.	Ireland, 1871. Total	Number in a portion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference.		Difference per cent.	
			Irish number less than English Proportionate number	English Proportionate number less than Irish number	Irish number less than English Proportionate number	English Proportionate number less than Irish number.
Irish Statistics more favourable than English.					Per cent.	Per cent
Total offences which might be indicted, . . .	19,795	23,896	4,101	–	17·2	–
Stealing, ...	3,676	10,733	7,057	–	65·8	–
Aggravated assaults on women and children, . .	509	616	107	–	17·4	–
English Statistics more favourable than Irish.						
Assaults on Peace Officers, breaches of peace, &c.,* .	7,482	7,091	–	391	–	5·2
Malicious and wilful destroying of property, &c., .	8,128	5,456	–	2,672	–	32·9

It appears from this table that in the statistics of offences actually disposed of summarily, but which belong to a class that might be dealt with by indictment, the result follows the same law, and presents the same characteristics as in the more serious offences which are actually made the subject of indictment.

The Irish statistics are more favourable than the English, in this class of offences, to the extent of 4,101 offences, or 17·2 per cent. In stealing alone to the extent of 65·8

* Common assaults have not been included. As to the impossibility of any assaults that would be properly the subject of indictment being thus excluded so far as the Irish statistics are concerned, *vide* Judicial Statistics of Ireland, 1869, p. 16.

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per cent. and in aggravated assaults on women and children, most nearly allied with immoral offences, 17 4 per cent.; on the other hand, the Irish statistics are less favourable by 32 9 per cent. in the minor cases of malicious offences against property, and 5 2 per cent. in assaults on peace officers, and breaches of the peace, &c

Statistics of murders and infanticides

In the Police Tables of crimes reported, the statistics of murder are included with other offences affecting human life, and not taken separately for comparison, as explained in preceding reports In consequence of the difference of the system of public prosecutions in Ireland from that in England, the returns of the Police are framed on a different principle The Police returns in Ireland are framed chiefly according to the *crime charged* at the commencement of the prosecution, and correspond very closely with the verdicts at Coroners' inquests In England the Police returns are made according *to the verdicts at the trial*,* and all those cases in which the Jury convicts of a crime other than that charged in the indictment (*e g.*, in cases where upon a trial for murder a verdict of manslaughter or of concealment of birth is returned) appear in different classes in the statistics of England and of Ireland In the former they are classified according to the verdict of the Jury, while in the latter they are returned as murder, that being the crime found by the Coroner's Jury, and for which the indictment was framed The statistics which afford the best standard of comparison of the cases commonly referred to as murders, irrespective of the legal definition of the offence or final verdict, are the verdicts at Coroners' inquests, and these in Ireland and England and Wales are to a large extent comparable.

Statistics of Murder, according to the Coroners' Returns in Ireland and England compared	Ireland, in 1871	Number in a portion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference.		Difference per cent	
			Irish number less than English proportionate number	English proportionate number less than Irish	Irish number less than English proportionate number	English proportionate number less than Irish
					Per cent.	Per cent
Murder of children aged one year and under, .	21	36	15	–	41 6	–
Murder of persons above one year of age, . .	32	18	–	14	–	43 7
Total, ...	53	54	1	–	1 9	–

It appears from this table that the number of cases in which murder, other than infanticide, was charged by the verdicts of Coroners' inquests, was 32 in Ireland in 1871, as compared with 18 in an equal portion of the population of England and Wales in 1870, showing a difference against Ireland of 14, or 43 7 per cent. It is, however, satisfactory to observe that in this unfavourable feature of Irish crime, the number of verdicts of wilful murder of persons above 1 year of age showed a marked diminution in 1871, the number being only 32 as compared with 40 in 1870

The statistics of infanticide in both countries are quite startling.

The proportion of children in Ireland to the rest of the population was ascertained by the Census Commissioners in 1861 to be as 2 4 to 97 6, or, in other words, that in every 200 of the population, about 5 are infants under one year of age. It follows from this that the proportional number of murders of infants under one year of age which would correspond to the 32 murders which appear from the Coroners' returns to have taken place amongst the rest of the population, would be about 0 8 a year, or 4 in 5

* Judicial and Criminal Statistics for England and Wales for 1870, Report, p xx

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years. The actual number of infanticides is therefore about 27 times the number of murders occurring amongst the same amount of the population at other periods of life on an average.

In England and Wales the proportion of the population under one year to those above one year of age is 3 to 97; it follows, therefore, that the number of infanticides which would correspond to the 18 murders of persons above one year of age would be about 0·55 in one year, or less than 4 in 7 years. The actual number would appear to be on an average about 66 times the number occurring amongst the same number of the population in England and Wales at other periods of life. The excess of infanticides above other murders in both countries presents matter for consideration as to the causes of the immorality which leads to this crime.

Results of procedure in cases of murder.

From a comparison of the actual convictions for murder with the total number of murders and infanticides committed, views have been entertained that murders are very inadequately detected and punished in Ireland; but the result of the proceedings instituted in 262 cases in which verdicts of murder of persons above one year of age, and 139 cases in which verdicts of infanticide were found in Ireland, during a lengthened period, have been traced, and out of the 262 murders, persons were arrested in 242 cases, and in only 19 cases was no one arrested.

The number of persons committed for murder was 310. Of these, 14 were found insane, 15 acquitted on the ground of insanity, and 3 committed suicide or died before trial. All these cases (32 in all) may be taken as equivalent to convictions for murder; besides these there were 31 actual convictions of murder, which would give a total of 63 persons who were dealt with substantially as if convicted for murder. 103 were convicted of lesser offences; adding these to the 63 substantially convicted of murder, we get 166, or 53 per cent., of the persons committed who were convicted and punished, or died, or were treated as insane. The persons acquitted and discharged were 63, and in only 8 cases was there no verdict in consequence of the Jury not agreeing. In 23 cases the Grand Jury were not satisfied with the evidence, and found no bill. The result of these statistics is to show a very active detection and prosecution of crime in Ireland, though, owing to the very strong feeling against capital punishment, the convictions for lesser offences were 103 as compared with 31 for murder.

Infanticides.

In the cases of infanticide, criminals, as might be expected, were not so frequently detected. Out of 139 cases of verdicts by Coroners' Juries of wilful murder of children one year and under, in 95 cases there were arrests, while in 44 cases no person was arrested.

There were 106 persons committed for trial for infanticides. So strongly, however, does the feeling against capital punishment appear to operate, that whilst 42 were convicted of a lesser offence than murder, there was not a single conviction for murder, and no less than 39 were acquitted and discharged; in 9 cases the Grand Jury were not satisfied with the evidence. These statistics corroborate the recommendation of the Select Committee as to the abolition of capital punishment for infanticide. If the punishment were more in accordance with public opinion, the prosecutions and convictions would be more frequent, and the excessive number of infanticides would be more effectually checked.

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The statistics of offences determined summarily, other than those which might be indicted, are compared in the following table :—

Offences determined summarily, other than Indictable Offences, in Ireland, in 1871, compared with those in England and Wales in 1870	Ireland, 1871 Total.	Number in a portion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference.		Difference per cent.	
			Irish number less than English Proportionate number	English Proportionate number less than Irish number	Irish number less than English Proportionate number	English Proportionate number less than Irish number.
					Per cent.	Per cent.
I. *English Statistics more favourable than Irish.*						
Total other than indictable offences,	200,384	102,451	–	97,933	–	48·9
Drunkenness—drunk and disorderly,	91,334	31,623	–	59,711	–	65·4
Offences against Ways Acts,	33,354	7,155	–	26,199	–	78·5
Common assaults,	32,805	17,982	–	14,823	–	45·2
Offences unclassified,	15,263	3,569	–	11,694	–	76·6
Offences against Nuisance Act,	4,710	1,636	–	3,074	–	65·3
Offences against Weights and Measures Acts,	2,384	1,131	–	1,503	–	52·1
Offences against Fishery Acts,	1,223	266	–	957	–	78·2
Offences against Vagrant Act—Prostitutes,	2,494	1,771	–	723	–	29·0
Offences against Licensed Victuallers and Beer Acts,	3,348	2,799	–	549	–	16·4
Offences relating to Servants, Apprentices, and Masters.	2,427	2,079	–	348	–	14·3
Offences against Revenue Laws,	984	724	–	260	–	26·4
Offences against Mutiny Acts,	823	640	–	183	–	22·2
Offences against Lord's Day Act,	291	154	–	137	–	47·1
II. *Irish Statistics more favourable than English.*						
Offences against Cattle Plague Orders,	163	175	12	–	6·9	–
Offences against Chimney Sweepers Act,	9	23	14	–	60·9	–
Offences against Pawnbrokers Acts,	231	288	57	–	19·8	–
Offences against Factory Acts,	35	123	88	–	71·5	–
Cruelty to Animals,	944	1,221	277	–	22·7	–
Offences against Mercantile Marine Acts,	194	515	321	–	62·3	–
Disobeying Bastardy Orders,	12	999	987	–	99·1	–
Offences against Poor Law Acts,	552	2,619	2,067	–	78·9	–
Offences against Game Acts,	695	3,047	2,352	–	77·2	–
Offences against Police Acts,	2,182	4,873	2,691	–	55·2	–
Offences against Vagrant Act, other than Prostitutes,	1,695	8,232	6,537	–	79·4	–
Offences against Local Acts,	1,732	8,557	6,825	–	79·8	–

The statistics of offences, other than indictable offences determined summarily, present a general result unfavourable to Ireland as compared with England and Wales—the number of such offences being 97,933, or 48·9 per cent., less in a corresponding portion of the population of England and Wales than in Ireland.

This result is brought about by the Irish statistics being less favourable than the English in the following classes of offences to the degree stated :—Offences against Ways Acts, 78·5 per cent., offences against Fishery Acts, 78·2 per cent., unclassed offences, 76·6 per cent., drunkenness, drunk and disorderly, 65·4 per cent.; offences against Nuisance Acts, 65·3 per cent., offences against Weights and Measures Acts, 52·1 per cent.; offences against the Lord's Day Act, 47·1 per cent; common assaults, 45·2 per cent.; enforcement of Vagrant Act against prostitutes, 29·0 per cent.; offences against Revenue Laws, 26·4 per cent.; offences against Mutiny Act, 22·2 per cent.; offences against Licensed Victuallers and Beer Acts, 16·4 per cent.; offences relating to servants, apprentices, and masters, 14·3 per cent.

On the other hand, the Irish statistics are more favourable than the English in the following classes of offences to the degree stated :—Offences against cattle plague orders, 6·9 per cent; offences against Pawnbrokers Acts, 19·8 per cent.; cruelty to animals, 22·7 per cent; offences against Police Acts, 55·2 per cent.; offences against Chimney Sweepers Act, 60·9 per cent.; offences against Mercantile Marine Acts, 62·3 per cent.;

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offences against Factory Act, 71·5 per cent.; offences against Game Acts, 77·2 per cent.; offences against Poor Law Acts, 78·9 per cent., enforcement of Vagrant Act other than against prostitutes, 79·4; offences against Local Acts, 79·8 per cent.; and disobedience of Bastardy Orders, 99·1 per cent.

The characteristics of Irish and English minor offences thus disclosed correspond very closely with those noticed in the comparison of last year. There is, however, one satisfactory matter indicated. In all the different classes of minor offences in Ireland, where the Irish statistics appear unfavourable, or the offences exceed 1,000 in number, there has, with a single exception, been a marked decrease in 1871 as compared with 1870. The exception is offences against the Nuisances Acts, which were 4,710, as compared with 3,892, in 1870. This difference arose, no doubt, not from any greater amount of nuisances, but from a more active and vigilant enforcement of the law. In the four largest classes of these, the absolute decrease in the offences from 1870 to 1871 was as follows.—Drunkenness from 96,116 to 91,334, or 4,782; in road offences from 38,914 to 33,354, or 5,560; in common assaults from 33,340 to 32,805, or 535; offences unclassed from 16,520 to 15,263 or 1,257.

With regard to drunkenness, and being drunk and disorderly, the law is somewhat different in Ireland and England, and special returns were obtained in both countries as to habitual drunkards, and the whole subject will be noticed in a subsequent part of this report, under the head of the character of offenders.

In the enforcement of other Acts of Parliament, there are also differences in the laws between the two countries, which make the comparison of offences disposed of summarily not so exact as that of indictable offences; many of these offences too being, like road offences, mere breaches of discipline, their greater or less enforcement depends largely on the number of police, and, in Ireland, where the number is more than twice as great in proportion to population as in England and Wales, the number of such offences coming under the notice of the police is likely to be larger.

As to moral characteristics, no conclusion can be drawn from the lesser number of cases of disobeying bastardy orders in Ireland, 99·1, or from the lesser number of prosecutions of prostitutes as vagrants in England, 29·0, as the bastardy laws are entirely different, and vagrant laws are not sufficiently identical to allow of an exact comparison.

There are, however, two characteristics which may be taken as unaffected by these results. The English statistics are more favourable in showing a smaller number of common assaults by 45·2 per cent., whilst the Irish are more favourable in showing a smaller number of cases of cruelty to animals of 22·7 per cent.

Statistics of crime in Ulster compared with statistics of crime in Scotland.

Since the Irish Judicial Statistics were commenced in 1863, the crime in Ireland has been compared with that of England and Wales alone.

The Scotch statistics were not for many years in a state that admitted of useful comparison, but in 1870 and 1871 the delay which had occurred was got over, and under the provisions of an Act of Parliament for enforcing the returns, they are now presented annually to Parliament, in a form as closely corresponding to the English and Irish statistics as the difference in the law and modes of administration in Scotland will admit of.

The distinction between indictable offences and those disposed of summarily is not clearly marked, but by reducing the offences of all kinds to the following five classes a sufficiently good basis of comparison has been obtained:—offences (1) against human life, (2) against morals, (3) against property, (4) against veracity, and (5) Police offences including riot, assaults, and violation of discipline, under various Acts of Parliament.

The comparison of crime in Ireland and England is open to the consideration that the circumstances of the two countries differ very much. Agriculture preponderating in the one, and manufactures in the other, there is, too, a great contrast in wealth and in concentration of the population in the towns.

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The comparison with Scotland affords a more perfect test of the different effects of laws, institutions, and social arrangements, especially if the comparison be limited to Ulster. From the close proximity of Ulster to Scotland, and the early migration of the Ulster Scoti to Argyle (the Hill of the Gaels or Irish) and thence to the whole Highlands, transferring their name to Scotland, and the modern migration of Ulster Celtic labourers to the Scotch towns, and from the large part which the Lowland Scotch of Anglo-Saxon race took in the plantation of Ulster, and in the subsequent development of trade and manufactures, being the ancestors of the majority of the Protestant population—Ulster and Scotland correspond more closely in respect of race than any two portions of the United Kingdom. From the development of manufactures in Ulster, that province more closely resembles Scotland than any portion of Ireland in the distribution of the population between agriculture and manufactures. Ulster, too, resembles Scotland in the more friendly relations between landlord and tenant.

The comparison of crime in Scotland and in Ulster, is shown in the following table :—

Offences of all kinds returned by Police

OFFENCES IN ULSTER IN 1871, COMPARED WITH THOSE OF SCOTLAND IN 1870.	Number of Offences in Ulster in 1871	Number of Offences in a portion of the Population of Scotland equal to that of Ulster in 1870.*	Actual Difference		Difference per cent	
			Ulster number less than Scotch proportionate number	Scotch proportionate number less than Ulster number	Ulster number less than Scotch proportionate number	Scotch proportionate number less than Ulster number
Total Offences, ...	57,134	64,538	7,404	–	Per cent 11 5	Per cent –
Ulster Statistics more favourable than Scotch						
Offences against Property, . . .	3,530	13,052	9,522	–	73 0	–
„ „ Morals (Rape, Indecency, &c.),	33	100	67	–	67 0	–
„ „ Human Life, . . .	83	95	12	–	12 6	–
Offences affecting Veracity (Perjury), .	6	9	3	–	33 3	–
Scotch Statistics more favourable than Ulster.						
Police Offences, including Riot, Assaults and Violation of Discipline under Acts of Parliament.	53,482	51,282	–	2,200	–	4 1

It appears from this table that the total of offences of all kinds in Ulster in 1871 was 57,134, whilst in a portion of the population of Scotland equal to that of Ulster in 1870 it was 64,538. The number in Ulster was thus 7,404, or 11 5 per cent. less than in Scotland.

The crimes against human life in Ulster were 83, as compared with 95 in Scotland, or 12 (or 12 6 per cent.) less. The crimes against veracity were only 6 in Ulster, as compared with 9 in Scotland, or 33 3 per cent. less. The crimes against morals (rape, indecency, &c.,) were only 33 in Ulster, as compared with 100 in Scotland, or 67 per cent. less. The offences against property in Ulster were only 3,530, as compared with 13,052 in Scotland, or 9,522 (or 73 per cent.) less.

The unfavourable feature of the Ulster statistics is in Police offences, including riot, assaults and violation of discipline under Acts of Parliament. There were 53,482 in Ulster, as compared with 51,282 in Scotland, so that the Scotch offences of this class were 2,200, or 4 1 per cent. less.

* The Scotch figures are obtained from the Scotch Judicial and Criminal Statistics for 1870, by an estimate, in which the population of Scotland for the middle of 1870 is taken, as returned by the Registrar-General, at 3,335,418, and the population of Ulster for the middle of 1871 is estimated from the Census population (1,850,398) by deducting a proportionate decrease for Ulster in the population during the three months subsequent to the Census. It appears that since 1861 the proportionate decrease for Ulster has been 21 per cent., which would give for the three months in question out of the total decrease (14,300) a decrease of 3,003, or a population for the middle of 1871 of 1,627,395, and a proportion to the Scotch population of 1 to 1 83. The Scotch figures in the above table have accordingly been obtained by dividing the total offences returned by 1·83.

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Number of persons apprehended for indictable offences.

With regard to this feature of the Ulster statistics the larger proportion of police to population in Ulster than in Scotland is to be borne in mind, the numbers being as nearly as possible twice as many in proportion to population in Ulster.

The larger proportion of offences against morals in Scotland has an important bearing on the policy of maintaining a different law of marriage in Scotland from that in other portions of the United Kingdom, after the strong recommendations of the Marriage Law Commission made some years since on this subject.

The fifth table in the Appendix contains the number of indictable offences committed in the year, the number of persons apprehended for them, and the disposal of the persons so apprehended. The following is a summary of the returns with respect to crimes and apprehensions:—

Indictable Offences (not disposed of summarily)	Crimes Returned	Persons Apprehended	Proportion of Persons Apprehended to Number of Crimes Returned
January, February, and March, . .	1,994	1,363	68·4
April, May, and June, ...	1,975	1,376	69·7
July, August, and September, . .	2,156	1,621	75·2
October, November, and December, . .	2,030	1,273	62·7
Total, ...	8,155	5,633	69·1

This table shows a very high proportion (69 per cent.) of apprehensions. As might be expected the greatest proportional number of arrests was made in the summer quarter of the year. The smallest number was made, as appears from the above figures, in the three first winter months. The proportion of apprehensions to crimes committed is in Ireland very much higher than in England and Wales.

Persons apprehended for Indictable Offences (not disposed of summarily) in 1871 compared with those in England and Wales in 1870	Per-centage of Apprehensions to Crimes.		Per centage of Apprehensions in Ireland	
	Ireland, 1871	England and Wales, 1870	Less than in England and Wales	Greater than in England and Wales
	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent	Per cent.
January, February, and March, . .	68·4	48·6	–	19·8
April, May, and June, ...	69·7	54·2	–	15·5
July, August, and September, . .	75·2	53·9	–	21·3
October, November, and December, . .	62·8	*48·7	–	14·1
Total, ...	69·1	51·2	–	17·9

It appears from this table how much larger the proportion of persons apprehended to the number of crimes committed is in Ireland than in England and Wales, viz.—69 per cent., as compared with 51 per cent. This is what might be expected from the larger proportion of Police to population in Ireland, and the more complete system of official prosecutions by Stipendiary Magistrates and Sessional and Assize Crown Solicitors.

The highest proportion noticed in the English statistics for some years was 58·2 in 1863, while the proportion in Ireland has, since the compilation of these statistics was commenced in 1863, always been very much higher than this. In contrast with this general enforcement of the law by the apprehension of criminals, the want of detection of certain classes of crime, not shown in these returns, but otherwise ascertained, was made the subject of observation in Parliament on the proposal of the Peace Preservation Act.—*Hansard*, 1870, vol 200, col 86, *et seq.*

In connexion with the criminal classes known to the Police, the most important statistics are those which show the character of the persons actually proceeded against, whether apprehended for indictable offences or proceeded against summarily.

* For the year 1869.

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The persons proceeded against in Ireland in 1871, classified according to character, are compared with the number in England and Wales in 1870 in the following table —

Character of persons proceeded against. (Police Table, No. I.–II.)

CHARACTER OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST IN 1871, COMPARED WITH SIMILAR STATISTICS FOR ENGLAND AND WALES IN 1870	IRELAND IN 1871		ENGLAND AND WALES IN 1870			
	Total	Proportion of each class to the Total Number	Total	Proportion of each class to the Total Number	English Proportion higher than Irish	Irish Proportion higher than English
		Per cent.		Per cent	Per cent.	Per cent
Total number proceeded against, .	225,812	100	553,482	100·	–	–
Deduct persons whose character is unknown,	41,013	18·2	180,210	32·9	14·7	–
Total number whose character is known, .	184,799	100	373,272	100	–	–
Previous good Character, ...	151,520	82·0	216,919	58·2	–	23·8
Prostitutes, ...	10,456	5·7	21,224	5·7	–	–
Habitual Drunkards (not under other heads),	8,500	4·6	38,917	10·4	5·8	–
Suspicious Characters, . . .	7,837	4·2	47,951	12·8	8·6	–
Vagrants, Tramps, and others without any visible means of subsistence, . . .	4,032	2·2	28,367	7·6	5·4	–
Known Thieves, ...	2,454	1·3	19,894	5·3	4·0	–

It appears from this summary that in Ireland 18·2 per cent of the persons proceeded against were of character unknown to the Police, whilst in England and Wales 32·9 per cent. of those proceeded against were of that class This arises in part from the much higher number of Police in proportion to the population in Ireland than in England and Wales, already noticed, and in part from the greater number of foreigners and the greater aggregation of the people in cities and towns in England than in Ireland

In Ireland 82 per cent. of those proceeded against whose characters were ascertained, were of previous good character, while in England and Wales only 58·2 per cent. were of this class.

In analyzing the statistics in order more minutely to trace the causes of crime that admit of prevention, the following remarkable results are disclosed. In the case of men proceeded against summarily, if we deduct those whose character is unknown and those of previous good character, those of bad character are classed as follows —

Character of men proceeded against on indictment and summarily. (Police Table, No I.–II.)

MEN OF ASCERTAINED BAD CHARACTER PROCEEDED AGAINST ON INDICTMENT AND SUMMARILY	Men proceeded against in Ireland in 1871	Per-centage of each Class to Total of Bad Characters
Total number, ...	16,146	100
Habitual Drunkards (not included in other classes), .	6,629	41·0
Suspicious Characters, ...	5,273	32·7
Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence,	2,842	17·6
Known Thieves, ...	1,403	8·7

From this table it appears that of 16,146 men of bad character proceeded against by indictment or summarily, no less than 6,629, or 41 per cent, were habitual drunkards In the convictions for drunkenness and being drunk and disorderly, including women, and not confined to men of bad character only, the prevalence of habitual drunkenness is no less remarkable. It appears from a return compiled in this department* as to such convictions from 1st July, 1870, to 1st July, 1871, that of 92,295 convictions 35,658, or 38·6 per cent. were not first convictions, and no less than 10,911, or 18·3 per cent, were convictions that had been preceded by three or more convictions.

These figures indicate the importance of the provisions in the new Licensing Act extended to Ireland, which impose increased penalties on drunkenness, and of the

* House of Commons Paper, 1871, No. 505.

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recommendations of the Select Committee of the House of Commons for dealing with cases of habitual drunkards.

Character of women proceeded against on indictment and summarily. (Police Table, No I.–II.)

Women of ascertained Bad Character proceeded against on Indictment and Summarily	Women proceeded against in Ireland in 1871.	Per-centage to Total of Bad Character
Total number,	17,153	100·
Prostitutes,	10,456	61·0
Suspicious Persons,	2,565	15·0
Habitual Drunkards (not included in other classes),	1,891	11·0
Vagrants, Tramps, and others, without visible means of subsistence,	1,190	6·9
Known Thieves,	1,051	6·1

It will be seen from the number of habitual drunkards in this table, that in the case of women as well as men, the question of habitual drunkenness is of importance, as they form a more numerous class (1,891, or 11·0 per cent.) than vagrants (1,190, or 6·9 per cent.), and are nearly twice as numerous as known thieves (1,051, or 6·1 per cent.) The really startling figure in this table, however, is the number of prostitutes. It appears that of 17,153 women of ascertained bad character proceeded against in Ireland, no less than 10,456, or 61·0 per cent., were prostitutes.

In connexion with the discussions as to the legislation required for checking the physical evils arising from prostitution, these figures, showing the intimate connexion between prostitution and crime, suggest the larger question of the moral and social results of prostitution.

Chapter II. *Procedure*

CHAPTER II.—MODES OF PROCEDURE FOR PUNISHING CRIME.

Difference in procedure in Ireland and in England and Wales.

In Ireland the modes of procedure for punishing crime are a combination of the English and Scotch systems, with some special arrangements added which are peculiar to Ireland. There is, in the first place, a complete system of Coroners for the holding of inquests exactly on the model of Coroners' inquests in England. Then there is in each county a Sessional Crown Solicitor for criminal cases at Quarter Sessions and special cases heard at Petty Sessions, or at Inquests, and also a Crown Solicitor for Assizes. These officers in some degree correspond to the Procurators-Fiscal for Scotch counties. In addition to them, the Police in Ireland are under central control, report specially on all crimes, and act as prosecutors. There are in each county, in addition to the Justices of the Peace, Stipendiary Magistrates in communication with the central Government, and also acting in the collection of evidence in all serious cases.

Coroners' Inquests.

Returns have been received for 1871 for all the Coroners' districts in Ireland, except for the town of Galway, giving the number of inquests for each district, with the verdicts found by the jury. The returns further distinguish, in the case of children under seven years of age, the legitimate from the illegitimate.

The returns distinguish the sex of the body on which the inquest is held, and it appears that there is a much greater sacrifice of men and boys by violent death than of women and girls, the inquests on men and boys being 2,047 as compared with 847 on women and girls, and this difference occurs in every class of verdict.

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The classification of the inquests according to age of the person on whom the inquest was held is shown in the following table, and is compared with the proportion of population at the same age:—

Ages of deceased compared with population at such ages.

Inquests Classified as to Age of Deceased, and compared with Population at same Age.	Number of Inquests to Total Number	Proportion at each Age to Total Number ascertained.	Proportion of Total Population at corresponding Ages.*	Proportion of Inquests less than Proportion of Population.	Proportion of Population less than Proportion of Inquests.
Total number of inquests,	2,894	–	–	–	–
Deduct age unclassed,	91	–	–	–	–
Total number age ascertained,	2,803	100	100	–	–
1 year and under,	227	8·10	2·36	–	5·74
7 years and above 1 year,	247	8·81	14·14	5·33	–
Under 16 years and above 7,	111	3·96	18·20	14·24	–
16 years and under 60,	1,550	55·30	55·98	0·68	–
60 years and above,	668	23·83	9·32	–	14·5

It appears from this table that the age-periods at which inquests are excessive are those on infants (1 year and under) and aged persons (60 years and above). In the case of infants the proportion 8·10 is nearly four times the proportion to be expected from the distribution of ages in population 2·36. Amongst the aged it is 23 83, or less than three times the proportion to be expected, 9·32.

In connexion with the question of the effect of illegitimacy as productive of infanticide and death amongst children, statistics have been obtained in the case of 193 out of the above 227 infants on whom inquests have been held, and the result is shown in the following table:—

Inquests on illegitimate compared with those on legitimate infants.

Verdicts at Inquests on Infants aged One Year and under, Classified.	Number of Inquests.			Inquests on Illegitimate Infants less than proportion on Legitimate	Inquests on Illegitimate Infants greater than proportion on Legitimate	Inquests on Illegitimate Infants less than proportion on Legitimate	Inquests on Illegitimate Infants greater than proportion on Legitimate.
	Total where Legitimate or Illegitimate ascertained	On Illegitimate Infants.	In equal proportion of Infants known to be Legitimate				
Total number,	193	82	3 31	Number –	Number 78 69	Per cent. –	Per cent. 96 12
Found dead,	70	29	1 22	–	27·78	–	95·96
Accidental death,	45	6	1 17	–	4 83	–	84 31
Natural death other than want or neglect,	28	10	0 54	–	9 46	–	99·46
Infanticide,	21	20	0 03	–	19 97	–	99 99
Natural death from want, cold, or exposure,	13	8	0 14	–	7 86	–	98 28
Injuries, causes unknown,	6	2	0 12	–	1 88	–	94 34
Natural death from diseases aggravated by neglect,	5	4	0 03	–	3 97	–	99 26
Manslaughter,	5	3	0 06	–	2 94	–	98 04

In this table the number of verdicts of each kind on illegitimate infants aged 1 year and under is compared with the number to be expected amongst a proportion of legitimate infants equal in number to the estimated number of illegitimate children of 1 year and under, the estimate being founded upon the proportion of illegitimate to legitimate births (2 9 to 97 1) as ascertained by the Registrar-General for Ireland, in his annual Report for 1869.

* The proportions for this column are estimated from the latest published proportions of the population of the various ages, in the Report of the Census Commissioners, in which the age periods are different from those in this table.

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It appears that the excess of total inquests on illegitimate infants (82) above the number to be expected (3·31) on legitimate infants is 78·69, or 96·12 per cent.

This excess is highest in infanticide (99·99 per cent.), and lowest in accidental death (84·31 per cent.) In cases of natural death other than from want or neglect, the excess is 99·46 per cent.; of diseases aggravated by neglect, the excess is 99·26 per cent; of death from want, cold, exposure, &c, the excess is 98·28 per cent.; of manslaughter, 98·04 per cent.; in cases of infants found dead, 95·96 per cent.; of death from injuries unknown at inquest, 94·34 per cent.

Inquests in Ireland compared with those in England and Wales

In the following table Coroners' inquests in Ireland in 1871 are compared with those in England and Wales in 1870.—

Verdicts of Coroners in Ireland in 1871 compared with those in England and Wales in 1870	Number in Ireland in 1871	Number in 1,870 in a portion of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference		Difference per Cent.	
			Irish Number less than English proportionate Number	English proportionate Number less than Irish Number	Irish Number less than English proportionate Number	English proportionate Number less than Irish Number.
Total,	2,894	6,085	3,191	–	52·4	–
Accidental death,	982	2,615	1,633	–	62·4	–
Death from causes not specified in returns,	920	2,133	1,213	–	56·9	–
Suicide, or self-murder,	125	364	239	–	65·7	–
Found dead,	418	644	226	–	35·1	–
Infanticide,	23	36	13	–	41·7	–
Manslaughter,	40	51	11	–	21·6	–
Justifiable homicide,	3	2	–	1	–	33·3
Death from injuries, causes unknown,	50	40	–	10	–	20·0
Murder, other than infanticide,	32	17	–	15	–	46·9
Death from want, cold, exposure, &c,	96	77	–	19	–	19·8
Death from excessive drinking,	119	76	–	43	–	36·1
Death from disease aggravated by neglect,	88	30	–	58	–	65·9

The leading characteristics of the comparisons in this table are, that the entire number of inquests in Ireland were 3,191, or 52·4 per cent. less than the corresponding number in England and Wales. This number is almost entirely made up by the large excess in accidental deaths in England and Wales, 1,633, and death from causes not specified in the returns, 1,213. The cases of infanticide and murder have been already referred to in connexion with the police statistics on the same subject.

The unfavourable features of these statistics, as regards Ireland, are in the number of deaths from excessive drinking, from want, cold, exposure, &c., and from disease aggravated by neglect. The proportionate English numbers under these heads were,—in excessive drinking, 43, or 36·1 per cent. less, in deaths from want, &c., 19, or 19·8 per cent less; and in disease aggravated by neglect, 58, or 65·9 per cent. less than in Ireland.

The apprehension, trial, and punishment of criminals

After the statistics of Coroners' Inquests, the statistics relating to the apprehension, trial, and punishment of criminals, come to be treated.

With regard to persons dealt with summarily, the Police tables give complete information as to the number apprehended, the number punished, and the nature of the punishment. But in the case of persons proceeded against by indictment, the Police supply only the number apprehended and the disposal of them prior to trial. With regard to the number actually tried or discharged for want of evidence or otherwise, the number acquitted on trial or punished, and the nature of the penalty, statistics have been compiled, as in former years, from the records of the Clerks of the Crown and of

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the Peace, and returned by the Local Inspectors of Gaols for each county. As, in the first instance, the apprehension often takes place a considerable time after the commission of the crime, and as, in the second instance, the trial sometimes does not take place in the same year as the apprehension, these latter returns necessarily do not agree in any one year with the Police returns of persons sent on for trial, although in a series of years there is a substantial agreement between the two classes of returns.

As in the previous chapter, persons proceeded against are divided into two classes—those dealt with by indictment at Assizes, the Dublin Commission Court, and Quarter Sessions, and those dealt with summarily by Magistrates.

The following summary shows the number of persons apprehended by the Police for indictable offences in Ireland in 1871, with the manner of their disposal before trial, together with the corresponding statistics for England and Wales in 1870 for comparison —

Disposal of persons apprehended, prior to trial, compared with like disposal in England and Wales.

Number of Persons Apprehended for Offences dealt with by Indictment.	Ireland, 1871.			Proportionate Number in England and Wales in 1870		Ireland, 1871.		Proportionate Number for England and Wales, 1870	
						Per-centage to Total		Per-centage to Total	
	Total of both Sexes.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Men and Boys	Women and Girls.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls	Men and Boys	Women and Girls.
Total,	5,633	4,351	1,282	4,862	1,520	100	100·	100	100·
Total bailed and committed for trial,	3,783	3,045	738	3,494	876	70 0	57 6	71 9	57·6
Bailed for trial,	1,930	1,726	204	292	63	39 6	15 9	6 1	4 1
Committed for trial,	1,853	1,319	534	3,202	813	30 4	41 6	65·8	53·5
Total discharged, &c.,	1,850	1,306	544	1,368	644	30 0	42 5	28 1	42 4
Discharged for want of evidence,	983	714	269	1,084	502	16 4	21 0	22 2	33 0
Discharged for want of prosecution,	618	392	226	254	138	9 0	17 6	5 3	9 1
Bailed,	187	155	32	22	3	3·6	2 5	·4	·2
Committed for want of sureties,	62	45	17	8	1	1 0	1 4	2	1

The large proportion of those discharged for want of prosecution in Ireland, 9 0 per cent. of men and 17 6 per cent. of women, as compared with 5·3 per cent. of men and 9·1 per cent of women in England and Wales, arises from the system of public prosecutions under the direction of the Attorney-General in Ireland. In Scotland 14 per cent. of men and women taken together were discharged without being tried, and 11 per cent. of these by the Lord Advocate, who occupies a position in Scotland as to prosecutions somewhat similar to that occupied by the Attorney-General in Ireland.

The proportion discharged for want of evidence in England and Wales, 22·2 and 33 0 per cent, is larger than the proportions of 16 4 and 21·0 per cent. in Ireland; the difference being, no doubt, caused by the prosecutions conducted by private parties, as in England, failing oftener from want of evidence than when conducted by public prosecutors, as in Ireland.

The great difference in the proportion of those bailed for trial, 39 6 per cent. of men and 15·9 per cent. of women, in Ireland, as compared with 6·1 per cent of men and 4·1 per cent of women in England and Wales, with a corresponding difference in the opposite direction in the number *committed* for trial, indicates very clearly the less serious character in Ireland than in England and Wales of the crimes for which parties are made amenable to the Superior Courts.

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Number and disposal of persons apprehended

In the following table the number and disposal of persons proceeded against by indictment in the two countries are compared —

Number and Disposal of Persons Tried at Dublin Commission Court, Assizes, or Quarter Sessions.	Ireland, 1871	Number in a portion of Population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland, 1870	Proportion disposed of	
			Per cent to Total Ireland, 1871	Per cent to Total, England and Wales 1870
Total tried,	3,582	4,001	100·	100·
I. Convicted, or detained as insane,	2,574	3,119	71 86	77 95
Viz.:—Sentenced to imprisonment, &c.,	2,345	2,675	65·47	66 87
Sentenced to penal servitude,	207	429	5 78	10 70
Found insane,	6	8	0·17	0·20
Detained after acquittal on ground of insanity,	11	3	0·30	0·08
Sentenced to death,	5	4	0·14	0·10
II Acquitted on trial,	1,008	882	28 14	22 05

The total returned as tried in this table, does not necessarily agree with those returned by the Police as bailed or committed for trial; for in all cases of persons committed or bailed for trial in the last half of the year in the case of Assizes, and the last quarter of the year in the case of Quarter Sessions, the trial takes place in a subsequent year to the committal; again, where persons die in prison, or do not attend in discharge of their bail, whilst they would be committed or bailed for trial, they would never be actually tried

The larger proportion of persons sentenced to penal servitude in England and Wales, 10·70 per cent., as compared with 5·78 per cent in Ireland, indicates the result already referred to, of the much more serious character of the crime disposed of at the Superior Criminal Courts in England and Wales than in Ireland

The larger proportion of persons detained after acquittal on the ground of insanity, 0·30 per cent in Ireland, as compared with 0·08 per cent in England and Wales, is what might be expected from the much larger proportion of dangerous lunatics in Ireland than in England and Wales

The proportion of acquittals in Ireland, 28·14 per cent, is large as compared with the 22 05 per cent in England and Wales; but it appears from the following table, that this is the highest proportion of acquittals for Ireland since 1866, when it was 28·3 The number in 1870 was only 22·75, nearly corresponding with the proportional number in England and Wales

Convictions and acquittals for a series of years.

With regard to persons actually tried by indictment at Assizes, Dublin Commission Court, and Quarter Sessions, the following table sets forth the numbers for a series of years, and shows also the results of the trial —

Year	Tried.	Convicted or detained as Insane.	Acquitted.	Proportion of those Tried who were	
				Convicted or detained as Insane	Acquitted.
1864,	4,097	3,028	1,069	74 0	26 0
1865,	3,654	2,690	964	73·6	25·4
1866,	3,408	2,444	964	71·7	28·3
1867,	3,601	2,758	843	76·6	23 4
1868,	3,207	2,418	789	75·4	24 6
1869,	3,329	2,469	860	74·2	25·8
1870,	3,966	3 064	902	77·25	22·75
1871,	3,582	2,574	1,008	71·86	28·14

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The result of proceedings before Grand Juries in criminal cases is shown by the returns of the Clerks of the Crown and Peace. The difference between the number, 3,582, actually tried, and 4,485 returned by them as for trial in Superior Criminal Courts is 903, and the grounds of discharge of these is thus accounted for by them:—

Disposal of Bills of Indictment by Grand Juries.

No bill found by Grand Jury,	455
No prosecution,	376
Bailed and not tried,	72
Total,	903

These figures indicate the important function discharged by Grand Juries in stopping prosecutions.

In the case of prosecutions at Quarter Sessions, there are distinct returns from the above as to bills of indictment which may include several persons, and several of which may be sent up against the same person. It appears that—making estimates for deficiencies for some returns that are wanting—of 2,695 bills sent before Quarter Sessions Grand Juries, 308 were not found, indicating a stoppage of proceedings of upwards of 10 per cent.

In the Court for the consideration of Crown cases reserved, constituted by Stat. 11 & 12 Vic., c. 78, corresponding to the Court for Criminal Appeal in England, there were 3 appeals before the Court in 1871. In 2 cases the previous decisions were affirmed, and the third was not argued in 1871.

Court for consideration of Crown cases reserved.

In the following table the sentences passed on those convicted in 1871 are shown in detail, and in comparison with the sentences in each of the five preceding years:—

Sentences compared with preceding years.

Sentences.	1871	1870	1869	1868.	1867	1866
Death,	5	4	–	–	3	4
Penal Servitude —						
For life,	1	1	–	2	6	3
Above 15 years,	–	1	–	1	2	3
For 15 and above 10 years,	3	14	1	9	13	11
For 10 and above 6 years,	105	125	89	122	136	136
For 6 years and under,*	98	102	101	105	134	98
Imprisonment —						
Above 3 years,	–	–	–	–	–	–
For 3, and above 2 years,	1	–	–	–	–	–
For 2, and above 1 year,	79	107	77	82	92	86
For 1 year, and above 6 months,	333	536	317	274	337	297
For 6 months and under,	1,391	1,667	1,386	1,188	1,405	1,266
Whipping, fined, or discharged,	419	580	386	402	462	471
Sentence respited and Pardon,	122	111	95	209	142	43
Totals,	2,557	3,048	2,452	2,394	2,732	2,418
Sent to Reformatory or Industrial Schools,	59	32	57	60	45	27

It thus appears that 2,557 persons were punished for serious offences in 1871; the

* As the returns have been modified in consequence of the changes in the law regarding this class of punishments, it has been necessary to group the punishments within these limits in order to compare the figures for a series of years.

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remaining 17 included in 2,574 on page 30 as convicted, were detained as insane The 59 sent to Reformatory or Industrial Schools are classified in the table according to the gaol punishments, and then appended separately as of importance in connexion with the punishment of the more serious offenders.

Particulars of case of persons executed.

There were 5 persons sentenced to death in Ireland in 1871, of whom 2 only were executed. The following are the particulars of these two cases of capital punishment.

John Gregory, aged fifty-three, county of Down, a tailor by trade, and an army pensioner, a native of Downpatrick, charged with wilful murder by shooting with a pistol, on the 29th July, 1870, was executed on the 12th April, 1871. Motive stated to be to obtain money from his victim, which was first confessed and afterwards denied by culprit. Gregory had been twice convicted of assaults before he enlisted.

William Collins, aged twenty-six, was executed at Clonmel, on the 17th August, 1871, for the murder of a constable, on the 30th March previous, at Glasdrum, county Tipperary.

It appears from the table that 207 persons were sentenced to penal servitude in Ireland in 1871, as against 243 in 1870, and that of those only 4 were for periods above ten years, as against 16 in 1870; that in 1871 1,804 persons were sentenced to various terms of imprisonment for indictable offences, as against 2,110 in 1870, and that of these 80 were for terms exceeding one year, as against 107 in 1870. It further appears, that while there was a smaller number of persons punished than in 1870, 122 obtained a respite of sentence and pardon in 1871, as compared with 111 in 1870, and 59 were sent on to Reformatory or Industrial Schools in 1871, as against 32 in 1870. The table, therefore, shows that the punishments generally were of a lighter nature in 1871 than in 1870. It may be inferred, consequently, that the crimes were less aggravated.

Convictions and punishments of persons proceeded against summarily.

With regard to persons proceeded against summarily, complete information is obtained from the Police as to the number discharged, the number convicted, and the nature of the punishments inflicted.

The following table shows the number of persons proceeded against summarily, with the number discharged, and the number convicted in Ireland, in 1871, as compared with 1870:—

Persons proceeded against	1871			1870		Proportion per Cent. to Total			
						Men and Boys.		Women and Girls.	
	Total of both Sexes.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	1871.	1870.	1871.	1870.
Number proceeded against, .	220,179	180,370	39,809	190,678	43,327	100·	100·	100·	100·
Number convicted, . .	183,390	152,202	31,188	159,466	32,965	84·4	83·6	78·4	76·1
Number discharged, . .	36,789	28,168	8,621	31,212	10,362	15·6	16·4	21·6	23·9

From this table it appears that of the 220,179 persons proceeded against summarily in 1871, 36,789, or 16·7 per cent., were discharged, and 183,390, or 83·3 per cent, were convicted In 1870, the convictions to the prosecutions were somewhat lower, viz, 82 per cent In the case of men and boys, the convictions are in a higher proportion than in the case of women and girls, being 84·4 per cent. against 78·4 in 1871, and 83·6 per cent. against 76·1 in 1870. The increased proportion of convictions in 1871 as compared with 1870, holds good in the case of both sexes.

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In the following table, the punishments inflicted summarily in the two years, are set out for comparison :—

Punishments for Offences determined Summarily in 1871, compared with those in 1870.	1871.	1870.	Proportion per Cent. to Total	
			1871	1870
Total number of persons convicted, ...	183,390	192,431	100	100·
Number convicted but not committed, viz.— Total,	165,761	174,347	90 39	90 86
Fined, ...	144,390	148,522	78·73	77·18
Punishments unclassed, ...	16,034	20,553	8 74	10 84
To find sureties or recognizances, ...	4,752	5,159	2 59	2 68
Delivered to Army or Navy, ...	581	308	0 33	0·16
Whipped, ...	4	–	–	–
Number committed, viz. — Total,	17,629	17,584	9·61	9·14
To Gaol 14 days or under, ...	10,657	10,664	5 82	5 54
„ 1 month and above 14 days, . . .	3,381	3,423	1·84	1 78
„ 2 months and above 1 month, . . .	1,597	1,456	0 87	0 76
To Industrial Schools, ...	723	697	0·39	0 36
To Gaol 3 months and above 2 months, . . .	701	758	0 38	0 40
„ 6 months and above 3 months, . .	321	313	0 15	0 16
To Reformatory Schools, ...	230	247	0 12	0 13
To Gaol above 6 months, ...	19	21	0 01	0 01

From this table it appears that by far the largest number of persons disposed of summarily are punished with a fine, 78 73 per cent. being of this class in 1871 as against 77·18 in 1870. As very many of the offences are merely breaches of Acts of Parliament enforced as matters of discipline, this is the only kind of punishment suitable to the offence. The number committed is somewhat higher in 1871 than in 1870—17,629, or 9 61 per cent., as against 17,584, or 9 14 per cent.

The increase took place chiefly in those sent to industrial schools and in those sent to goals for the lesser punishments. The number delivered up to the Army and Navy was double the per-centage of the preceding year, and reached the large number of 581. The punishment of whipping appears in 4 cases, while there was no whipping in 1870.

In the following tables a comparison is instituted between Ireland and England and Wales, with regard to the trial and punishment of criminals. The division of offenders into those proceeded against summarily for indictable offences, and those proceeded against summarily for other than indictable offences—which was observed in Chapter I, is also observed here.

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The following table shows the number of persons proceeded against summarily for indictable offences, the number convicted, and the punishments inflicted in Ireland in 1871, with the corresponding statistics for England and Wales in 1870, for comparison :—

Persons proceeded against summarily for Indictable Offences in Ireland in 1871, compared with those of England and Wales in 1870.	Ireland, 1871	Number in a population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland, 1870.	Proportion per cent	
			Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870
Total number proceeded against,	19,795	23,896	100·	100·
Number discharged,	5,499	6,804	27·77	28·47
Number convicted,	14,296	17,092	72·23	71·53
Disposal of persons convicted,	14,296	17,092	100·	100·
Not committed, viz :— Total,	10,771	8,978	75·36	52·53
Fined,	9,145	5,798	63·99	33·93
To find sureties or recognizances,	1,134	1,806	7·93	10·57
Punishments unclassed,	490	1,220	3·43	7·13
Whipped,	2	154	0·01	0·90
Committed, viz :— Total,	3,525	8,114	24·64	47·47
To Gaol, 14 days and under,	1,128	2,051	7·89	12·00
„ 1 month and above 14 days,	1,112	2,306	7·77	13·50
„ 2 months and above 1,	566	1,541	3·96	9·01
„ 3 months and above 2,	311	1,119	2·17	6·54
„ 6 months and above 3,	224	698	1·56	4·09
To Reformatory Schools,	170	279	1·19	1·64
To Industrial Schools,	8	104	0·06	0·60
To Gaol, above six months,	6	16	0·04	0·09

The offences included in the above table may be dealt with either summarily or by indictment, and different methods are pursued in the different countries, and often in different parts of the same country. The figures of the table show, in a marked manner, that much graver offences are dealt with summarily in England and Wales than in Ireland. No less than 47·47 per cent. of the persons convicted were committed in England and Wales, as against 24·64 in Ireland, and the longer the term of imprisonment, the greater the excess in England and Wales. The proportion of prisoners committed for a period of fourteen days and under is 12 per cent. in England, against 7·89 per cent in Ireland, while the proportion of prisoners committed for periods of over two, three, and six months is 10·72 per cent. in England and Wales, as against 3·77 per cent., or little more than a third, in Ireland.

In connexion with this table, it is also to be observed that in Ireland these offences are in some places chiefly dealt with by indictment, and in others summarily. For instance, in the case of stealing, only 577 persons were proceeded against summarily in the county of the city of Dublin, whilst 3,772 offences against property without violence were disposed of by indictment. In Belfast 410 persons were dealt with summarily for theft, and only 43 cases of a like nature by indictment. The excess of crime in the city of Dublin, so prominently brought out in Chapter I., in the table of offences proceeded against by indictment, may be partly accounted for in this way; but the existence of a bad class of thieves in Dublin is shown by the fact that of 497 offences against property *with violence* in all Ireland, no less than 197 occurred in Dublin, while only 11 occurred in Belfast, and only 29 in Cork.

The following table shows the punishments for offences, other than indictable,

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determined summarily in Ireland, in 1871, compared with those in England and Wales in 1870 :—

For other than indictable offences disposed of summarily.

Persons proceeded against summarily for other than Indictable Offences in Ireland, in 1871, compared with those in England and Wales in 1870	Ireland, 1871	Number as a part on of the Population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland, 1870	Proportion per cent.	
			Ireland, 1871	England and Wales, 1870
Total number proceeded against,	200,384	102,451	100·	100·
Number discharged,	31,290	26,087	15·62	25·46
„ convicted,	169,094	76,364	84·38	74·54
Disposal of persons convicted,	169,094	76,364	100	100
Not committed, viz.:— Total,	154,990	61,564	91·66	80·62
Fined,	135,245	55,805	79·98	70·45
Punishments not classed,	15,544	5,703	9·19	7·48
To find sureties or recognizances,	3,618	1,652	2·14	2·17
Delivered to Army or Navy,	581	400	0·35	0·52
Whipped,	2	4	–	–
Committed, viz.:— Total,	14,104	14,800	8·34	19·38
To Gaol, 14 days and under,	9,529	7,827	5·63	10·26
„ 1 month and above 14 days,	2,269	4,417	1·34	5·78
„ 2 months and above 1,	1,031	1,461	0·61	1·91
To Industrial Schools,	715	191	0·42	0·25
To Gaol, 3 months and above 2,	390	789	0·23	1·03
„ 6 months and above 3,	97	74	0·06	0·10
To Reformatory Schools,	60	37	0·04	0·05
To Gaol, above 6 months,	13	4	0·01	–

The same rule as in the preceding table, regarding the more serious nature of the offences dealt with summarily in England and Wales than in Ireland, applies also to this table Of the persons convicted, 19·38 per cent. were committed in England and Wales, as against 8·34 per cent. in Ireland, and the excess is greater in the long than for the short terms of imprisonment.

CHAPTER III.—CRIMINALS AND OTHERS IN CONFINEMENT AND KNOWN CRIMINALS AT LARGE.

The statistics of persons in confinement includes—in addition to actual criminals—persons accused of crime, debtors, children detained in industrial schools to prevent their falling into crime, and lunatics committed by Justices as dangerous. They do not include idiots or lunatics detained by order of the Lord Chancellor, or upon medical certificate for the purpose of cure.

The distribution of the persons in confinement, among the different places of detention, is shown in the following table :—

Persons in detention, 1871.

Criminals, &c., under Detention at end of 1871	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls	Total	Per cent.
Total in all Ireland,	6,031	4,290	10,321	100
In Lunatic Asylums (as criminal, or dangerous),	2,092	1,400	3,492	33·7
In Industrial Schools,	702	1,754	2,456	23·7
In County and Town Gaols,	1,493	602	2,095	20·2
In Convict Prisons,	872	323	1,195	11·6
In Reformatories,	778	192	970	9·4
In Bridewells,	85	15	100	1·0
In Four Courts Marshalsea,*	9	4	13	0·4

* The figures given under this head are obtained from the Report of the Inspectors-General of Prisons on Four Courts Marshalsea, 1871.

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Gaols.

It appears from this table that at the close of the year 1871 there were 10,321 persons in the different places of confinement in all Ireland, either for prevention or for punishment, and that of the persons in confinement who have been detained to prevent them from falling into crime rather than as punishment, without considering the juvenile criminals in reformatories as belonging to this class, amounted to 5,948 (viz., 3,492 lunatics, and 2,456 children in industrial schools), or more than half of the entire number in confinement.

Admissions in course of 1871.

The number of admissions into the various places of confinement in the course of 1871 is shown in the following table :—

Admissions to Places of Detention in 1871	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls	Total.	Per cent.
Total in all Ireland,	30,166	16,235	46,401	100·
Into Gaols,	19,265	12,083	31,348	67·6
Into Bridewells,	9,085	2,890	11,975	25·8
Into Lunatic Asylums,	756	516	1,272	2·7
Into Industrial Schools,	432	590	1,072	2·3
Into Reformatory Schools,	234	47	281	0·6
Into Convict Prisons,	153	93	246	0·5
Into Four Courts Marshalsea,*	191	16	207	0·5

The number of admissions to gaols and bridewells, compared with the number of persons in custody at the end of the year, shows that the commitments are for short periods.

From this table it appears that there were 46,401 admissions into places of confinement in all Ireland in course of 1871. But, as the children received into reformatories, and some of the lunatics received into asylums, were previously confined in bridewells and gaols, and are simply transferred therefrom to those places, these admissions do not represent so many separate commitments. Much less do they represent distinct individuals, as the same person is often the subject of several committals to gaols and bridewells in course of one year. The figures of the table indicate the relative importance with regard to criminals, considered simply numerically, of the different places of confinement.

Gaols.

The county and town gaols included in these tables are 38 in number. They are not divided into county, borough, and liberty prisons as in England and Wales. Only 4 of the 33 boroughs in Ireland have distinct gaols, viz.—Dublin (which has 2), Cork, Limerick, and Drogheda, which have 1 each. There are 2 county gaols in Tipperary, 1 at Nenagh, and 1 at Clonmel, for the North and South Ridings respectively. Only 5 boroughs, with gaols in common with adjoining county, have distinct taxation for gaols, viz.—Belfast, Carrickfergus, Galway, Kilkenny, and Waterford.

Number of commitments.

The total number of commitments of all kinds to county and town gaols in 1871 was 31,348.

	Commitments other than Transfers.			
	1871.	1870.	Increase in 1871.	Decrease in 1871.
Men and Boys,	19,265	20,228	–	963
Women and Girls,	12,083	12,515	–	432
Total,	31,348	32,743	–	1,395

This table shows a marked decrease in the number of commitments in 1871.

* The figures given under this head are obtained from the Report of the Inspector-General of Prisons on Four Courts Marshalsea, 1871.

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The number of commitments to gaols in Ireland during 1871, classified according to grounds of commitment, with the proportion per cent of each class to the total commitments, as compared with the proportion per cent. of the similar classes in England and Wales in 1870, is shown in the following summary.—

Commitments.	Total of both Sexes.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls	Proportion per cent.			
				Men and Boys		Women and Girls.	
				Ireland, 1871	England and Wales, 1870	Ireland, 1871	England and Wales, 1870
Total,	31,348	19,265	12,083	100·	100·	100·	100·
On summary convictions,	23,587	13,158	10,429	68·3	72·3	86·3	82·3
For trial, and tried at Assizes and Sessions,	2,968	2,342	626	12·1	11·1	5·2	8·6
Remanded and discharged,	2,454	1,899	555	9·9	6·4	4·6	6·2
For want of sureties,	1,091	683	408	3·5	1·9	3·4	2·0
For debt and on civil process,	673	613	65	3·2	6·6	0·5	0·9
For Military and Naval offences,	570	570	–	3·0	1·7	–	–

Upon this table, it is to be observed, that in both countries the commitments arise mainly from summary convictions, which in Ireland amount to 86·3 per cent. in the case of women and girls, and 68·3 in the case of men and boys. The differences between the two countries are as follow.—The proportion of men and boys committed for trial or convicted at Assizes and Quarter Sessions, of those remanded and discharged, of those committed for want of sureties, and of those committed for military and naval offences, is greater in Ireland than in England and Wales; and the proportion of men and boys summarily convicted, and of men committed for debt and on civil process is greater in England and Wales than in Ireland. Whilst in the case of women and girls, the proportions highest in Ireland are those convicted summarily, and those committed for want of sureties, and the proportions highest in England and Wales are those for trial or convicted at Assizes and Quarter Sessions, those remanded and discharged, and those committed for debt and on civil process.

In the gaol statistics for 1871, the distinction between ordinary criminals on the one hand and persons committed for debt or on civil process, or for military and naval offences on the other, is uniformly carried out. Of the latter class there were committed in 1871.—

Men and Boys,	1,183
Women and Girls,	65
Total,	1,248

Deducting these from the total commitments we get the number of commitments of ordinary criminals in the year.—

Men and Boys,	18,082
Women and Girls,	12,018
Total,	30,100

With regard to these ordinary criminals, the tables set forth for each gaol, the age and sex, the birthplace, the degree of instruction, and the occupation, the number remanded and discharged, and of all others the number who had, and the number who had not, been previously committed to any prison. A new column has also been added this year, showing the number of persons, other than those remanded and discharged, who, when previously convicted, had received a sentence of transportation or penal servitude.

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Gaols.

In setting forth the number of re-commitments, persons who were remanded and discharged are not taken into account as presumably innocent, and not to be considered in the question of habitual crime. Of this latter class, there were, in 1871—

Men and Boys,	1,899
Women and Girls,	555
Total,	2,454

The number of ordinary criminals other than those remanded and discharged is, accordingly—

Men and Boys,	16,183
Women and Girls,	11,463
Total,	27,646

Of these, it appears that 11,627, or about 42 per cent. were never previously in prison, and 16,019, or about 58 per cent had been previously committed with more or less frequency, showing at once that the greater number of the commitments were of habitual criminals, including amongst this number some who had, of course, become so during the year.

Re-commitments

In consequence of this characteristic, it becomes important to trace the degree of frequency of the re-commitments, and this is done in the following table:—

Number of Times in which Persons were Previously Committed	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls	Total of both Sexes	Proportion per cent. to the Total of each Sex—	
				Men and Boys	Women and Girls.
Total number of re-commitments,	7,370	8,649	16,019	100·	100·
Once,	2,656	2,120	4,776	36 2	24·5
Twice,	1,453	1,037	2,495	19 7	12 0
Thrice,	810	767	1,577	11 0	8 9
Four times,	494	494	988	6·7	5 7
Five times,	319	430	749	4·3	4·9
Seven times and above five,	404	537	941	5·5	6·2
Ten times and above seven,	399	709	1,108	5·4	8·2
Above ten times,	830	2,555	3,385	11 2	29·6

The frequency of re-commitments is shown in a marked manner by this table. A large proportion of the commitments of men (11 2 per cent.) were cases which had been preceded by 10 or more commitments, and 26·4 per cent. were of men who had been previously committed 5 times or upwards. Amongst the women, the proportions are more remarkable, 29 6 per cent of the re-commitments amongst them were of women who had previously been committed upwards of 10 times, and 48·9 per cent were of women who had been previously committed 5 times or upwards.

The results indicate very plainly that some further legislation is required in dealing with habitual criminals, especially in the case of women committed above 10 times. Such cases appear fitted for an extension to adults of the habitual criminal class, of the Reformatory System, which has been so successfully applied to young persons.

The statistics of commitments of persons not previously committed to any prison, afford the best gaol test of the amount of fresh crime in the year, arising either from the strength of the causes producing crime, or the weakness of the repressive agencies. In these figures each commitment indicates a distinct criminal, which the statistics of re-commitments of habitual criminals do not.

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The following table shows the number of persons committed to gaols for the first time in 1871, compared with those of the same class in 1870.

Persons Committed for First Time	1871	1870	Actual Difference		Difference per cent.	
			Number in 1871 less than in 1870	Number in 1870 less than in 1871	Number in 1871 less than in 1870	Number in 1870 less than in 1871
					Per cent.	
Total, ...	11,627	15,250	3,623	–	23·7	–
Men and Boys, .	8,813	11,602	2,789	–	18·3	–
Women and Girls, .	2,814	3,648	834	–	5·4	–

Considered as an index of the amount of fresh crime within the year, the figures of 1871 contrast most favourably with those of 1870 There were no less than 3,623, or 23·7 per cent. fewer first committals in 1871 to gaols than in 1870, the decrease being about equal in both sexes, relatively to the totals.

In last year's volume there was a table showing the average of first commitments for the five years ended 1869, as compared with the number of first commitments for 1870 If on a similar plan we take the average of the five years preceding 1871, and compare it with the number for 1871, we find that the comparison shows a decrease in favour of 1871 of no less than 3,596 first commitments—a number which indicates a steady improvement in the last six years in this important feature of fresh yearly crime, but which so closely resembles the number in the above table (3,623) that it is not necessary to tabulate the comparison at length

The new column already referred to, showing among the re-commitments the number of persons who when previously convicted had received a sentence of transportation or penal servitude, throws light upon the repressive efficacy of those punishments It appears that of the entire number of re-commitments in 1871, only 195 (85 men and 110 women), or about 1 2 per cent of the whole, were of this convict class.

In the following statistics relating to ordinary criminals committed to gaol in 1871, the persons who were remanded and discharged are included; and a comparison, under each head of information, is instituted between the English and the Irish figures.

Ages of prisoners in gaols.

The following summary shows the age and sex of the persons (other than debtors and persons charged with military and naval offences) committed to the different county and county of city or of town gaols in Ireland in 1871, together with the proportion per cent. of each sex at the different age-periods to the total number of each sex as compared with the corresponding proportionate numbers in England and Wales in 1870 —

Ages.	Total of both Sexes.	Men and Boys	Women and Girls	Proportion per cent.			
				Men and Boys.		Women and Girls.	
				Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.	Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.
Total, ...	30,100	18,082	12,018	100·	100·	100·	100·
Under 12 years, ...	177	154	23	0 9	1 3	0 2	0 4
12 years and under 16, . . .	982	792	190	4 3	6 1	1 5	2 9
16 years and under 21, . . .	4,870	3,627	1,243	20·0	20 0	10 3	18 0
21 years and under 30, . . .	12,462	7,205	5,257	39 8	32 0	43 9	35 1
30 years and under 40, . . .	6,107	3,270	2,837	18 0	19 9	23 7	22 8
40 years and under 50, . . .	3,098	1,646	1,452	9·1	11·2	12·1	12 6
50 years and under 60, . . .	1,466	839	627	5·1	6 0	5 1	5·2
Above 60 years, ...	808	447	361	2·3	3 4	3 0	2 9
Age not ascertained, ...	130	102	28	0 5	0 1	0 2	0 1

It appears that the juvenile criminals in the two first classes in the above table, viz, those under 16 years of age, are largely in excess in England and Wales—the per-centage

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among the boys to the total being 7·4 and among the girls 3·3, as compared with 5·2 and 1·7 in Ireland, respectively To these two classes belong all the criminals who by Statute can be committed to Reformatory Schools, and under the Reformatory School statistics a comparison will be instituted to discover how far the Reformatory principle is applied to the juvenile criminals in the two countries.

The class among the men in which Ireland is in excess is that of prisoners between 21 years and 30; and among the women the classes in excess in Ireland are prisoners between 21 years and 30, between 30 and 40, and prisoners above 60 years.

Birthplace of prisoners.

The birthplace of the ordinary criminals confined in the different county and county of city and of town gaols in Ireland in 1871, together with the proportion per cent. of those born in each country to the total, as compared with the corresponding proportions in England and Wales for 1870, will be seen in the following table:—

Birthplace.	Total of both Sexes.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Proportion per cent.			
				Men and Boys.		Women and Girls.	
				Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.	Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.
Total,	30,100	18,082	12,018	100·	100·	100·	100·
Ireland,	29,418	17,583	11,835	97·2	11·0	98·4	22·6
England and Wales,	334	284	100	1·6	84·8	0·9	73·2
Scotland,	103	72	31	0·4	1·9	0·2	2·8
Not ascertained,	103	62	41	0·3	0·2	0·3	0·3
Foreign Countries,	62	59	3	0·3	1·6	0·1	0·7
Colonies and East Indies,	30	22	8	0·2	0·5	0·1	0·4

These figures show that of the ordinary criminals there was only 1·6 per cent. of women and girls, and only 2·8 per cent of men and boys not of Irish birth in Irish gaols in 1871, whilst in England and Wales in 1870 there were 26·7 per cent of women and girls and 15·2 per cent of men and boys in English prisons not born in England and Wales, and of these strangers no less than 22·6 per cent. of the women and girls and 10·9 per cent of the men and boys were of Irish birth.

There is a very small number of persons of Scotch birth in the English prisons, but it is remarkable that the number of women and girls (2·8 per cent), is nearly double the proportion of men and boys (1·9 per cent.), just as in the case of Irish emigrants, who, as already stated, are in the ratios of 22·6 per cent. in the case of women and girls, and only 10·9 per cent. in the case of men and boys.

It is probable that in both cases this difference arises from the migration of women of bad character from the poorer to the wealthier parts of the kingdom.

Degree of instruction of prisoners.

The following summary gives the degree of instruction of ordinary criminals in gaols in Ireland in 1871, with the English proportionate number for 1870 for comparison:—

Degree of Instruction.	Total of both Sexes.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Proportion per cent.			
				Men and Boys.		Women and Girls.	
				Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.	Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.
Total,	30,100	18,082	12,018	100	100	100·	100·
Neither read nor write,	13,189	6,647	6,542	36·8	32·1	54·4	39·1
Read and write well,	10,230	7,685	2,545	42·5	3·7	21·2	1·6
Read, or read and write imperfectly,	6,180	3,343	2,837	18·5	63·6	23·6	59·2
Superior instruction,	310	264	46	1·5	0·2	0·4	–
Instruction not ascertained,	191	143	48	0·7	0·2	0·4	0·1

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It appears from this table that of the ordinary criminals committed to Irish gaols in 1871, a large proportion were wholly uneducated. Of the men and boys 36·8 could neither read nor write, the proportion in England of this class in 1870 being somewhat lower, viz., 32·0. The difference in the numbers of those who could read and write well in the two countries is striking—in Ireland the proportion of this class to the total number of men committed being 42·5 per cent., while in England and Wales it was only 3·7. There is also a marked difference, of an opposite kind, in the numbers of those who received an imperfect education. In England and Wales 63·9 of the men and boys could read and write imperfectly; in Ireland only 18·5 were of this class.

In the case of women and girls, it appears that in Ireland the largest proportion—more than a half (54·4 per cent.)—were wholly uneducated; while in England and Wales the largest proportion (59·2 per cent.) could read and write imperfectly, 39·1 per cent. being wholly ignorant. There is a similar striking contrast between the two countries in the case of women and girls who could read and write well, as appeared in the corresponding class of men and boys. In Ireland 2·1·2 per cent. of the women and girls were of this class, while in England and Wales only 1·6 of the women and girls could read and write well.

It thus appears that in both countries a very large proportion of the criminals committed to gaols are wholly ignorant. This is especially true of the women and girls committed to Irish gaols. The figures of the table are of great importance in connexion with the proposal to make education compulsory. They indicate a very general failure in the existing arrangements of both countries, in securing the education of the neglected classes most likely to fall into crime.

In the following table the various occupations of the ordinary criminals in the gaols of the two countries are set forth —

Occupation of prisoners in gaols (Table, No. 5.)

Occupations of Prisoners in Gaols.	Total of both Sexes.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Proportion per cent.			
				Men and Boys.		Women and Girls.	
				Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.	Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870.
Total,	30,100	18,082	12,018	100	100	100	100
Labourers, charwomen, needlewomen,	10,637	9,341	1,296	51·7	54·8	10·8	26·1
Prostitutes,	7,072	–	7,072	–	–	58·8	21·0
No occupation,	3,517	1,580	1,937	8·7	7·6	16·2	27·9
Mechanics and skilled workers,	3,239	3,148	91	17·4	23·0	0·8	2·4
Occupation not ascertained,	1,810	1,583	227	8·7	0·3	1·9	0·1
Shopkeepers and dealers,	1,199	547	652	3·1	2·9	5·4	4·9
Domestic servants,	990	486	504	2·7	1·1	4·2	9·2
Factory workers,	662	460	202	2·5	3·9	1·7	8·2
Sailors, marines, and soldiers,	499	499	–	2·8	4·2	–	–
Foremen and overlookers of labour,	222	203	19	1·1	0·1	0·1	0·2
Shopmen, shopwomen, and clerks,	183	168	15	0·9	1·8	0·1	–
Professional employments,	70	67	3	0·4	0·3	–	–

It will be observed that more than half the men and boys committed to gaols as ordinary criminals in both countries are labourers—the proportion in Ireland in 1871 being 51·7, and in England and Wales in 1870 54·8 per cent. It will also be observed, that in Ireland three-fourths, and in England nearly half of the women in the gaols are either prostitutes or else returned as having no occupation. No less than 58·8 per cent. are of the former class in Ireland, and 16·2 of the latter; whilst in England and Wales the proportions are 21·0 prostitutes and 27·9 of no occupation.

It appears, too, from the above figures, that the proportional number of men employed as domestic servants amongst prisoners in Ireland is larger than in England and Wales, while the reverse is the case with regard to women servants. This arises

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Total number in confinement in gaols.

from the tax on men servants in England, and the greater number of female servants in consequence.

The following summary shows the number of prisoners detained in gaols in Ireland during 1871, the number removed, discharged, and otherwise disposed of, and the number in custody at the close of the year, with the corresponding information for England and Wales in 1870, for comparison. The statistics of military and naval offenders, and of persons committed for debt or on civil process, are set forth in the table in greater detail than in former years —

Prisoners in Gaols	Number convicted of Desertion or other Military or Naval Offences	Debtors and on Civil Process.		Ordinary Criminals.		Total of both Sexes	Number in a portion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference.	
	Men	Men	Women.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls			Irish Number less than English proportionate Number	English proportionate Number less than Irish Number
Total number under detention in year,	633	702	73	19,564	12,611	33,583	46,251	12,668	–
Committed during year,	570	613	65	18,082	12,018	31,348	40,320	8,972	–
In Gaols at commencement of year,	63	89	8	1,441	565	2,166	4,906	2,740	–
Removed between prisons during year,	–	–	–	41	28	69	1,025	956	–
Discharged, removed, &c., during year:— Total,	575	622	63	18,200	12,019	31,488	41,434	9,946	–
Discharged, viz.:— Total,	573	535	53	17,473	11,776	30,310	39,185	8,875	–
On termination of sentence or commitment,	444	103	7	14,117	10,834	25,505	39,148	9,017	–
On termination of prosecution, by acquittal or otherwise,	124	428	46	2,071	656	3,325			
On payment of fines,	1	4	–	1,026	270	1,301			
On pardon or commutation,	4	–	–	158	16	178	37	–	142
On ticket-of-leave,	–	–	–	1	–	1			
Removed — Total,	2	3	1	453	167	626	1,962	1,536	–
To Reformatory Schools,	–	–	–	244	45	289	385	96	–
To Government Prisons,	–	–	–	138	76	214	425	211	–
To Lunatic Asylums,	2	–	–	40	19	61	42	–	19
To other Prisons,	–	3	1	51	27	82	1,110	1,048	–
Otherwise disposed of, viz.:— Total,	–	54	9	383	76	552	287	–	265
Bailed,	–	54	8	367	73	532	219	–	313
Died,	–	–	1	12	3	16	60	44	–
Executed,	–	–	–	2	–	2	2	–	–
Committed suicide,	–	–	–	1	–	1	5	4	–
Escaped,	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–
Remaining in Prison at end of year,	58	80	10	1,355	592	2,095	4,817	2,722	–

In this summary the Irish figures contrast favourably with the English—the total number under detention being 12,668 less, the commitments during the year being 8,972 less, and the number under detention at the end of the year being 2,722 less than amongst a portion of the population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland. From the portion of the summary which relates to the disposal of prisoners, it would appear that in Ireland the punishments are less rigorous than in England and Wales. Thus, while in Ireland 179 prisoners were discharged on pardon or commutation of sentence or on ticket-of-leave, only 37 were similarly treated among the proportionate

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number of prisoners in England and Wales, and of those released on bail the numbers are 532 in Ireland against 219 in a proper proportion for England and Wales.

The following summary shows the number of persons the gaols in Ireland are constructed to contain, the greatest number confined at one time in 1871, and the daily average number in the year 1871, with corresponding information for England and Wales proportioned to population, for comparison.—

Capacity of Gaols and Number in Confinement at one Time.	Ireland, 1871			Number in 1870 in a portion of the Population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference.		Difference per cent	
	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls	Total of both Sexes.		Irish number less than English proportionate number	English proportionate number less than Irish number	Irish number less than English proportionate number	English proportionate number less than Irish number
Number of separate sleeping cells,	3,459	1,439	4,898	6,515	1,617	–	24·8	–
Greatest number of prisoners confined at one time,	2,239	890	3,119	5,850	2,731	–	46·7	–
Daily average number of prisoners in the year,	1,654	628	2,282	4,755	2,473	–	52·0	–

From this summary it appears that the gaol accommodation in England and Wales is much larger than in Ireland, the excess for a portion of the population equal to that of Ireland being no less than 1,617 separate cells, or 24·8 per cent., compared with the Irish number. It also appears that the daily average number of prisoners out of a portion of the population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland is 4,755 against 2,282 in Ireland, or an excess of 52 per cent.

The following summary shows the punishments for prison offences in the different gaols in Ireland in 1871, with the corresponding figures for English prisons in 1870:— Gaol punishments

Punishments for Prison Offences.	Ireland 1871			Proportion of Punishments in England and Wales in 1870 in number of Prisoners equal to Irish daily average number	Actual Difference		Difference per cent.	
	Men and Boys	Women and Girls	Total of both Sexes.		Punishments in Irish Prisons fewer than in English	Punishments in English Prisons fewer than in Irish	Punishments in Irish Prisons fewer than in English	Punishments in English Prisons fewer than in Irish
Total number of Punishments,	3,238	422	3,680	7,472	3,792	–	50·8	–
Stoppage of diet, &c.,	2,309	294	2,603	5,367	2,764	–	51·5	–
Solitary or dark cells,	933	121	1,054	2,067	1,013	–	49·0	–
Irons and handcuffs,	15	7	22	10	–	12	–	54·5
Whipping,	1	–	1	28	27	–	96·4	–

From this table it appears that the Irish prisoners are much less prone to violate the laws of prison discipline than the English. Thus, in Ireland there were 3,792, or 50·8 per cent., fewer cases of punishment for prison offences in 1871 than in a corresponding number of prisoners in England and Wales in 1870. The cases of stoppage of diet, &c., were 51·5 per cent. less frequent, cases of confinement in solitary or dark cells 49 per cent. less frequent, and cases of whipping 96·4 per cent. less frequent in Irish than in English prisons. On the other hand, the cases of punishment by irons and handcuffs are 54·5 per cent. more frequent in Irish than in English prisons.

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The following summary shows the number of cases of sickness and death in Irish gaols in 1871, and the number of like cases for England and Wales in 1870 amongst an average number of prisoners equal to the Irish daily average —

Cases of Sickness and Death:	Ireland, 1871.			Proportion of Cases of Sickness or Death in English Prisons in 1870 in number of Prisoners equal to Irish daily average number	Actual Difference.		Difference per cent.	
	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Total		Cases of Sickness or Death in Irish Prisons fewer than in English.	Cases of Sickness or Death in English Prisons fewer than in Irish.	Cases of Sickness or Death in Irish Prisons fewer than in English.	Cases of Sickness or Death in English Prisons fewer than in Irish
Total cases of Sickness and Death,	10,849	6,700	17,549	9,724	–	7,825	–	44 6
Cases of Sickness,	10,837	6,697	17,534	9,695	–	7,839	–	44 7
Slight indisposition,	9,779	6,010	15,789	9,191	–	6,598	–	41 8
Infirmary cases,	1,017	667	1,684	482	–	1,202	–	71 3
Insanity,	41	20	61	22	–	39	–	63 9
Deaths,	12	3	15	29	14	–	48 3	–
Greatest Number sick at one time,	259	123	382	247	–	135	–	35 3

It appears from this table that the proportion of deaths in English prisons is 48·3 per cent. greater than in Irish prisons, whilst the cases of sickness are against Ireland in the proportion of no less than 44 7 per cent This large disproportion arises largely from infirmary cases and cases of insanity, which are respectively 71 3 and 63·9 per cent. more numerous in Ireland than in England and Wales.

Criminal Lunatics in Asylums

Lunatic Asylums come next to County and Town Gaols in importance, from the number of persons in confinement in them; and the statistics upon this subject are more complete and more comprehensive than in any preceding year.

The volumes in years preceding 1870, as notified last year, contained returns relating to criminal lunatics detained in gaols. Under the operation, however, of the Act passed in 1867 (Stat. 30 & 31 Vic., c. 118), which provided that dangerous lunatics should be sent, not to gaols, but direct to asylums, and that they should be given up to their friends on proper security, the number of lunatics in gaols rapidly diminished, and at the close of 1869 only 5 were returned as being detained in gaols. No further returns on the subject have accordingly been required from the gaol authorities

Total number in confinement (Table, No 1)

The following figures show the number detained and disposed of in lunatic asylums during 1871 —

Criminal Lunatics in Asylums.	Total	Men	Women
Total number of Lunatics under detention during year,	4,457	2,701	1,756
Under detention at commencement of year,	3,185	1,945	1,240
Committed by Justices, under 30 & 31 Vic. c. 118,	1,211	713	498
Received from gaols under warrant of Lord Lieutenant,	61	43	18
Total number disposed of during year,	965	609	356
Discharged on becoming sane,	561	359	202
Died,	276	165	111
Given to their friends, although insane,	82	60	22
Removed to workhouses,	27	10	17
Escaped,	6	5	1
Removed to gaol for trial,	13	10	3
Remaining under detention at close of year,	3,492	2,092	1,400

The above summary shows an increase of 307 in the number under detention at the end of 1871, as compared with those at commencement of the year

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The following table shows for Ireland the period during which persons in asylums at the close of 1871 have been held in detention, whether in asylum or gaol, with the corresponding statistics for lunatics under detention in course of year in England and Wales in 1870 for comparison :—

Periods of Confinement of Lunatics	Ireland, 1871 — Number in Confinement at close of year			Number in a portion of the Population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland, under Detention in course of 1870.	Proportion per cent.	
	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Total of both Sexes.		Ireland, 1871.	England and Wales, 1870
Total, ...	2,092	1,400	3,492	189	100	100
One year and under, . . .	570	380	950	46	27·20	24·47
Two years and above one, . .	389	252	641	21	18·35	10·64
Three years and above two, . .	228	183	411	23	11·80	12·24
Five years and above three, . .	314	184	498	18	14·30	9·57
Ten years and above five, . .	270	189	459	34	13·11	18·03
Fifteen years and above ten, . .	142	101	243	19	6·95	10·11
Twenty years and above fifteen,	118	82	200	10	5·72	5·32
Above twenty years, . . .	61	29	90	18	2·57	9·57

The difference between the statistics of the two countries indicated by the totals in confinement in the above table is extraordinary. There were in Ireland on 31st December last 3,492 persons held in confinement in asylums as criminal lunatics, whilst in a portion of the population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland, only 189 were under detention in the whole course of 1870. The terms of detention in the two countries do not seem to follow any uniform law. There is, indeed, a large excess in England and Wales in the proportion of persons above twenty years in confinement—9·57 per cent being of this class, as against 2·57 in Ireland; but this probably arises from the circumstance that twenty years ago the asylum accommodation was less adequate in Ireland than in England and Wales.

Criminal Lunatics committed in Ireland in 1871, compared with those in England and Wales in 1870	Ireland, 1871 — Total	England and Wales, 1870 — Number in a portion of the population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference		Difference per cent.	
			Irish number less than English Proportionate number	English Proportionate number less than Irish number.	Irish number less than English Proportionate number	English Proportionate number less than Irish number
Committed during the year, . .	1,272	44	–	1,228	Per cent. –	Per cent. 96·5

These figures present matter for serious inquiry, the difference between the statistics of the two countries being so great. A part of the subject of such inquiry is the difference of the incidence of taxation in the area and the persons charged in Ireland, according as a lunatic is sent to an asylum or detained in a workhouse.

In previous volumes the offences with which lunatics were charged, and the judgments or orders under which they were detained, were given for the whole of the lunatics under detention in the course of the year, but in the present volume they are given for those only who were received during the year 1871.

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The following summary shows the offences with which lunatics committed to asylums in Ireland in 1871 were charged, or the grounds of committal:—

Offences or Lunatics on Grounds of Committal.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Total of both Sexes.	Proportion per cent.
Total committed during the year,	756	516	1,272	100·
Dangerous persons at large,	191	134	325	25 6
Assaults,	188	124	312	24 5
Offences not classed,	177	126	303	23 7
Under the Vagrant Laws,	75	54	129	10 1
Attempts at suicide,	23	18	41	3·2
Insane, wandering about without control,	20	18	38	3·0
Attempts to murder, maim, stabbing, &c.,	24	15	39	3 0
Larceny and petty theft,	16	12	28	2 2
Wilful damage, and other malicious offences,	13	7	20	1·5
Threatening language,	6	2	8	0 7
For want of sureties,	5	1	6	0 5
Cattle, sheep, or horse stealing,	4	1	5	0 4
Indecent exposure of the person,	4	–	4	0·3
Arson—Malicious burning,	2	1	3	0·2
Murder of infants aged 1 year and under,	–	2	2	0 2
Other murders,	2	–	2	0 2
Burglary and house-breaking,	2	–	2	0 2
Drunkenness,	1	–	1	0 1
Manslaughter,	1	–	1	0 1
Riot and breach of the peace,	–	1	1	0 1
Felony not classed,				

It appears from this table that the greater number of lunatics were committed direct to asylums by Justices under Stat 30 & 31 Vic, c 118. The exact numbers will appear in the next table.

The following summary shows the judgments or orders under which criminal lunatics were committed to asylums in Ireland in 1871 —

Judgment or Order of Committal.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Total of both Sexes.	Proportion per cent.
Total committed during year,	756	516	1,272	100
Committed to asylums by Justices as dangerous, under stat. 30 & 31 Vic, c 118, s 10,	714	498	1,212	95 2
Transmitted from gaols by Lord Lieutenant's warrant:—				
Became insane while undergoing sentence of imprisonment,	21	12	33	2 7
Found or declared insane,	11	4	15	1 1
Acquitted as insane,	5	2	7	0·6
Became insane after committal and before trial,	5	–	5	0·4

The statistics on this subject for England and Wales are not for the persons committed within the year, as in Ireland, but for the whole of the persons under confinement. The following were the proportions in England and Wales in 1870, according to the judgment or order of committal, of the entire body of criminal lunatics in asylums:—

Convicts becoming insane after trial and removed by order of Secretary of State,	42 per cent.
Acquitted as insane,	29 ,,
Found or declared insane,	24 ,,
Dangerous lunatics, or insane committed by Justices,	5 ,,
Total,	100 ,,

It thus appears, that of the entire number of lunatics in asylums in England and Wales in 1870, only 5 per cent. were committed by Justices as insane or dangerous, while of those committed to asylums in Ireland in 1871, over 95 per cent. were so committed.

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This extraordinary difference in the figures suggests a careful comparison of the English and Irish law upon the subject of both criminal and pauper lunatics, and the differences in the incidence of the charge for supporting them, and in the administration of the several institutions in which lunatics are detained in England and Ireland.

Next to those in Lunatic Asylums, the largest number of persons in custody are in Industrial Schools. The importance of extending the principles of the Industrial Schools Acts to Ireland was pointed out in the preceding volumes of the Irish Criminal Statistics, and the figures now given show the extent to which these institutions have been brought into operation. The Acts were extended to Ireland in 1868 by stat. 31 Vic., c. 25, and the first certificate was granted in February, 1869; but it was not until 1870 that the schools came into full operation. Very complete information has been obtained about the schools.

Industrial Schools.

In the volume for 1870, the schools containing both boys and girls were counted twice, and the total on this plan was 35. In the following summary each school is counted as only 1, whether it be for separate sexes or for both sexes; but as in the St. Patrick's Schools, Belfast, there are 2 distinct buildings, 1 for boys and another for girls, they are counted as 2 schools.

	1871.	1870.	Increase in 1871.
Leinster,	11	11	–
Munster,	19	13	6
Ulster,	5	5	–
Connaught,	7	3	4
Total,	42	32	10

It appears from this summary that there were in all Ireland in 1870 32 schools, and in 1871 42 schools, showing an increase within the year of 10 schools—of which 6 were in Munster, and 4 in Connaught.

Of the total number of Industrial Schools in 1871 only 7 (3 for boys and 4 for girls) are for Protestants, the rest (5 for boys and 24 for girls, and 6 for both boys and girls,) are for Roman Catholics.

The following summary shows the number of children under detention in Industrial Schools in Ireland in 1871, and the number discharged, as compared with similar statistics in 1870 —

Number in confinement.

Children in Industrial Schools in Ireland	Ireland, 1871			1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.			
Total number under detention in year,	728	1,870	2,598	1,557	1,041	–
Under detention at beginning of year,	246	1,281	1,527	199	1,328	–
Received during year,	482	589	1,071	1,358	–	287
Total disposed of during year,	26	116	142	30	112	–
Discharged,	14	81	95	19	76	–
Put out on Licence,	–	24	24	1	23	–
Died,	7	10	17	7	10	–
Escaped,	5	1	6	3	3	–
Total remaining at close of year,	702	1,754	2,456	1,527	929	–

It appears from this table that there were 2,598 children (728 boys and 1,870 girls) under detention in Industrial Schools in Ireland in 1871, which shows an increase—the number for 1870 being 1,041, or about 40 per cent., less. There was a falling away in the numbers committed in 1871, as compared with 1870, to the extent of 287 children, or about 21 per cent. This arises from the fact that the number of committals depends

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Industrial Schools. Ages.

very largely on the amount of school accommodation, and in 1870—the year in which the Act came into full operation—there were 32 schools to receive children, all of which were pretty well filled before the end of the year, while in 1871 there were only 10 additional schools opened. There were 17 deaths in 1871 against 7 in 1870.

The following figures show the ages of the children placed in these schools in 1871 :—

Ages of Children	Boys and Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Per-centage of Total	
				Boys.	Girls.
Total,	1,071	482	589	100·	100·
10 years and under,	712	335	377	69·5	63·9
11 years and above 10,	145	61	84	12·7	14·2
12 „ „ 11,	121	49	72	10·2	12·4
13 „ „ 12,	79	33	46	6·8	7·8
14 „ „ 13,	14	4	10	·8	1·7

It appears from these figures that by far the greater number of the children who are placed in these schools are under ten years of age. It also appears that the boys are placed there at an earlier age than the girls. Of the boys 69·5 per cent were under ten, and of the girls 63·9 per cent were under ten. This difference affects the other age periods in proportion as the ages advance. The higher the age the greater is the excess of girls.

The classification of the children, according to the provisions of the Act under which they are committed, is as follows :—

Grounds of Committal to Industrial Schools.	Number committed in 1871.			Number committed in 1870	Per-centage of Total.	
	Boys.	Girls	Total.		1871	1870
Total.	482	589	1,071	1,621	100·	100·
Destitute and without guardianship of parents (sec. 11),	253	306	559	848	52·2	52·3
For begging (sec. 11),	141	199	340	506	31·7	31·2
Found wandering and homeless without guardianship or means of subsistence (sec. 11),	78	73	151	240	14·1	14·9
Charged before Justices with offences, and committed thereupon to Industrial Schools (sec 13),	9	4	13	3	1·2	0·2
Found frequenting the company of reputed thieves (sec 11),	1	7	8	24	0·8	1·4

These figures show that it is girls especially who have been rescued from temptation and crime by the Industrial Schools, and that the chief ground of committal is destitution or want of guardianship of parents.

How completely the schools come in to supply the want of parental care and control, appears from the next summary, showing the number of orphans amongst children on admission :—

Degree of Orphanage.	Number committed in 1871.			Number committed in 1870	Per-centage of Total.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.		1871	1870
Total number,	482	589	1,071	1,621	100·	100·
Total Orphans,	91	106	197	508	18·4	31·3
One Parent dead,	296	335	631	838	58·9	51·7
Others,	95	148	243	275	22·7	17·0

The result of orphanage and destitution in producing ignorance is shown by the fact that the number of children who on admission to Industrial Schools could neither read nor write was 564, which gives upwards of 50 per cent. entirely ignorant.

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In the following table the working of the Industrial School system in Ireland is compared with England and Wales:—

Children in Industrial Schools in Ireland in 1871, compared with those in England in 1870.	Ireland, 1871			Number in proportion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland.	Actual Difference		Difference per cent.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.		Irish number less than English Proportionate number	English Proportionate number less than Irish number.	Irish number less than English Proportionate number.	English Proportionate number less than Irish number.
Total number under detention in year, viz.:—	728	1,870	2,598	1,377	–	1,221	–	43·1
Detained at beginning of year,	246	1,281	1,527	1,011	–	516	–	33·8
Received during year,	482	589	1,071	366	–	705	–	65·8
Total disposed of during year,	26	116	142	215	73	–	33·9	–
Total remaining at close of year,	702	1,754	2,456	1,162	–	1,294	–	52·7

In this table the children in the Feltham Industrial School in England under the Special Act (17 & 18 Vic., cap clxix.), are not included, as they are committed—not for destitution, but as juvenile criminals, and fall more naturally under the head of Reformatories.

It appears that the Irish commitments during the year 1871 were 65·8 per cent. in excess of the English proportionate number in 1870. At the close of the year the Irish number was 52·7 per cent. in excess of the English number. It appears, therefore, from the table, that in Ireland the Industrial School system is in much more extensive operation than in England and Wales. The excess in England and Wales of the number of children disposed of arises from the excess of cases of absconding, and from the excess of cases of simple discharge from school.

Next to Industrial Schools, the Convict Prisons had the largest number of inmates. Convict Prisons.

There are 4 Convict Prisons in Ireland, 3 for men and 1 for women. Returns for 1871 have been received from the Directors, of which summaries are given below. The total numbers detained and disposed of in 1871 are given in the following table, with the figures of 1870 for comparison:—

Convicts in Prisons.	Ireland, 1871			Ireland, 1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Total			
Total under detention in course of year,	1,048	426	1,474	1,495	–	21
In confinement at commencement of year,	895	333	1,228	1,230	–	2
Total received from County and Borough Prisons,	153	93	246	265	–	19
Total disposed of during the year,	176	103	279	267	12	–
On Ticket-of-Leave,	150	72	222	205	17	–
On termination of Sentence,	11	21	32	37	–	5
Died,	5	5	10	9	1	–
On Commutation of Sentence, or for ill health,	8	2	10	9	1	–
To Lunatic Asylums,	1	2	3	3	–	–
On Pardon, or conviction quashed,	–	1	1	2	–	1
Escaped,	1	–	1	1	–	–
To County Gaols and County Prisons in England,	–	–	–	1	–	1
Total remaining in custody at close of year,	872	323	1,195	1,228	–	33
Total Daily Average during the year,	890	333	1,223	1,233	–	10

Number in confinement.

These figures show a decrease of 19 in the number of convicts received during 1871 (from 265 in 1870 to 246 in 1871). The number discharged and otherwise removed was 279 in 1871, as compared with 267 in 1870.

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The numbers discharged on ticket-of-leave in 1871 were 222, against 205 in 1870. Nine persons had their sentences commuted in each year, and 1 was discharged on medical grounds in 1871. The number of persons remaining in custody at the close of the year was 1,195, of whom 872 were men and 323 were women, as against 1,228 at the close of 1870, and the daily average number of prisoners was 1,223, or 10 less than in 1870. There were only 10 deaths during the year.

The following figures show the number of cases in which punishment was found necessary, and the nature of the punishment, with the corresponding statistics for 1870 for comparison:—

Punishment for Prison Offences	Men and Boys	Women and Girls	Total, 1871	Total, 1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Total,	1,105	330	1,435	1,554	–	119
Stoppage of Diet,	949	279	1,228	1,319	–	91
Other Punishments,	136	51	187	206	–	19
Solitary or Dark Cells,	16	–	16	20	–	4
Whipping,	4	–	4	9	–	5

There is a decrease in the number of punishments to the extent of 119—84 of which occurred amongst the men, and 35 amongst the women. The punishments appear mainly to be of a trifling character, and in the more serious forms of punishments, solitary or dark cells and whipping, there is a decrease.

With regard to the sanitary condition of the Convict Prisons the following return has been made:—

Cases of Sickness	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Total, 1871	Total, 1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Total,	13,649	1,854	15,503	22,227	–	6,724
Slight Indisposition,	13,352	1,678	15,030	21,577	–	6,547
Infirmary Cases,	296	174	470	647	–	177
Insanity,	1	2	3	3	–	–
Greatest number of Infirmary Cases at one time,	34	29	63	66	–	3

This table indicates a very marked improvement in 1871 in the sanitary condition of the Convict Prisons.

In the following table the number of convicts in Ireland in 1871 is given, with the number in an equal portion of the population of England and Wales in 1870:—

Convict Prisons.	Ireland, 1871 Total	Number in a portion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland	Actual Difference		Difference per cent.	
			Irish number less than English proportionate number	English proportionate number less than Irish number	Irish number less than English proportionate number.	English proportionate number less than Irish number.
					Per cent.	Per cent.
Total under detention in course of year,	1,474	2,703	1,229	–	45·4	–
Total in confinement at commencement of year,	1,228	2,126	898	–	42·2	–
Total received in course of year,	246	577	331	–	57·3	–
Total disposed of in course of year,	279	412	133	–	32·1	–
Total remaining under detention at end of year,	1,195	2,291	1,096	–	47·8	–

It appears from this table that the number of convicts, or of the most serious class of

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criminals, is much larger in England and Wales in proportion to the population than in Ireland. The figure, too, which shows the largest excess is the number of fresh convicts in the year, the English figure being no less than 57 3 per cent. larger than the Irish figure.

Returns have been received from all the Bridewells in Ireland for the year 1871, with respect to the prisoners detained. The following table gives the summary of them —

Bridewells.

Number in confinement.

Number and Disposal of Prisoners confined in Bridewells in 1871, compared with those of 1870	1871.			1870 — Total	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
	Men and Boys	Women and Girls.	Total.			
Total number detained in course of year,	9,175	2,912	12,087	10,349	1,738	–
Total number received in course of year,	9,085	2,890	11,975	10,265	1,710	–
Total under detention at commencement of year,	90	22	112	84	28	–
Total disposed of in course of year,	9,090	2,897	11,987	10,282	1,705	–
Viz.—Discharged on completion of sentence, and after trial as not guilty, or escaped,	6,295	1,626	7,921	6,816	1,105	–
Removed to County Prisons, Asylums, &c.,	2,795	1,271	4,066	3,466	600	–
Remaining in detention at close of year,	85	15	100	67	33	–

From this summary it appears that there were 12,087 persons confined in bridewells in the course of 1871, but the periods of detention must have been very short, as the total number of days spent in bridewell by all the prisoners was 28,113, or less than an average of 2½ days for each prisoner. As compared with 1870, the numbers confined in bridewells are unfavourable to 1871.

Reformatory Schools

Next to Bridewells come Reformatory Schools, for children under 16 years of age. In 1871 there were 10 Reformatory Schools in operation in Ireland, 5 for boys and 5 for girls. One new Reformatory School came into operation in 1871, viz., that at Philipstown, in King's county, for Roman Catholic boys, to which licence was granted on 22nd December, 1870. Of the 5 Reformatories for boys, 2 are for Protestants and 3 for Roman Catholics, and of the 5 for girls, 1 is for Protestants and 4 for Roman Catholics.

The following summary shows the number under detention and the number discharged during 1871, with corresponding figures for 1870 for comparison —

Number in confinement.

Number and Disposal of Children in Reformatories in Ireland	1871.			1870 — Total	Increase in 1871	Decrease in 1871
	Boys.	Girls	Total Boys and Girls.			
Total detained in course of year,	930	223	1,153	1,056	97	–
Number in Reformatories at commencement of year,	631	175	856	790	66	–
Committed during the year,	234	47	281	261	20	–
Re-admitted from licence,	15	1	16	5	11	–
Total disposed of during year,	152	31	183	203	–	20
Discharged on completion of sentence,	37	22	59	88	–	29
Placed out on licence,	72	3	75	92	–	17
Discharged by order of Chief Secretary,	30	5	35	12	23	–
Died,	4	1	5	6	–	1
Absconded and not retaken,	9	–	9	5	4	–
Remaining in Reformatories at end of year,	778	192	970	853	117	–

From this table it appears that in 1871 there has been a steady progress in the

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Reformatory School system in Ireland. At the close of the year there were 117 children in confinement more than at the close of 1870. There was an increase of 20 in the number of fresh committals, and a decrease of 20 in the number removed from the schools.

Of the total, 281, committed to Reformatories in 1871, 234 were boys and 47 girls This large excess of boys, as contrasted with the large excess of girls noticed in Industrial Schools, shows that boys have a greater tendency than girls to commit crime when exposed to temptation. Of the 234 boys, 31 were Protestants and 203 Roman Catholics; and of the 47 girls, 3 were Protestants and 44 Roman Catholics.

The following summary shows the previous punishments of those committed to Reformatories in Ireland in 1871 :—

	Boys	Girls.	Proportion per cent to total Boys	Girls
Total committed,	234	47	100·	100·
Imprisonment, 14 days,	206	40	87 8	85·1
" 1 month and above 14 days,	26	4	11·2	8 6
" 2 months and above 1 month,	2	2	1 0	4 2
" 4 months and above 2 months,	–	1	–	2·1

The following summary shows the period of sentence to Reformatory Schools —

	Boys	Girls	Proportion per cent. Boys	Girls
Total committed,	234	47	100·	100·
Five years and above 4 years,	209	40	89 3	85 1
Four years and above 3 years,	10	2	4 3	4 3
Three years and above 2 years,	12	3	5·1	6·3
Two years,	3	2	1 3	4 3

From these summaries it appears that the offences committed by girls are more serious than those committed by boys. Their term of imprisonment in gaols is longer. This contrast between the sexes comes out in all the statistics of crime and of punishment. Fewer women become criminals, but when once they enter upon the courses of crime they are more abandoned and more confirmed than men. Hence the importance of the industrial schools in which deserted and unprotected girls chiefly are detained These are the girls who, when left exposed to temptation, supply the ranks of the most hopeless class of criminals.

The position of the children committed in 1871 to reformatories in Ireland, as regards parental control, is shown in the following table :—

	Boys	Girls	Proportion per cent. Boys.	Girls.
Total committed,	234	47	100·	100·
Total orphans,	22	7	9·4	14 9
One parent dead,	76	27	32·5	57 4
Others,	136	13	58 1	27 7

Of the boys 58·1 per cent. are not orphans, and 41·9 per cent. have either one parent dead or both The degree of orphanage amongst the girls is much greater, 14·9 per cent. having both parents dead, and 57 4 one parent dead In the third class of the above summary, there are many whose parents are in prison, or who are otherwise uncontrolled by parents.

The following summary gives the ages of the children at the time of admission to the reformatory schools .—

	Boys.	Girls	Proportion per cent. Boys	Girls
Total committed,	234	47	100	100
Above 13 years and under 16 years,	113	37	48 3	78 7
Thirteen years and under,	121	10	51·7	21 3

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It appears that the girls committed to reformatories are older than the boys. This also was seen to be true in the case of industrial schools. Of the girls committed to reformatories in 1871, 78·7 per cent. were above, and 21·3 per cent were under thirteen years of age; while the corresponding proportions for the boys were 48·3 and 51·7 per cent respectively.

The degree of instruction is shown in the following summary:—

	Boys	Girls.	Proportion per cent. Boys	Girls.
Total committed,	234	47	100	100
Neither read nor write,	107	24	45·7	51·1
Read or read and write imperfectly,	61	22	26·2	46·8
Read and write well,	66	1	28·1	2·1

The want of parental control is pointedly shown in this summary, and more so among the girls than the boys. Of the girls committed to reformatories, 51·1 per cent., or more than half, were wholly uneducated; only 2·1 per cent. could read and write well, while the remainder, 46·8 per cent, had received a small amount of education. Amongst the boys the proportion that could read and write well was larger, being 28·1 per cent.; but no less than 45·7 per cent., even of the boys, were wholly uneducated. None of either sex had received superior instruction.

The number committed after conviction on indictment before Judges of the Superior Courts, the Chairmen of Quarter Sessions, and Recorders, was 59 (47 boys and 12 girls), or 21 per cent of the entire number; and 222 (187 boys and 35 girls), or 79 per cent., were committed on summary convictions at the Dublin Police Courts and before Justices at Petty Sessions. Of the entire number, 150, or 53 per cent, were committed for petty thefts; 99, or 36 per cent, for dishonest offences of a more serious kind; 3, or 1 per cent., for malicious offences; 23, or 8 per cent., for assaults; and 6, or 2 per cent., for vagrancy and other offences.

In the following table the working of the Reformatory system in Ireland is compared with England and Wales:—

Number in confinement.

Number and Disposal of Children in Reformatories in Ireland and in England and Wales	Ireland, 1871 Total	Number in a position of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland *	Actual Difference: Irish number less than English proportionate number	Actual Difference: English proportionate number less than Irish number	Difference per cent: Irish number less than English proportionate number	Difference per cent: English proportionate number less than Irish number
					Per cent.	Per cent.
Total under detention in course of year,	1,153	1,484	331	–	22·3	–
Total under detention at commencement of year,	856	1,114	258	–	23·1	–
Total received in course of year,	297	370	73	–	19·7	–
Total disposed of in course of year,	183	375	192	–	51·2	–
Total remaining under detention at end of year,	970	1,109	139	–	12·5	–

It appears from this table that, unlike the case of the Industrial Schools, there are more children in Reformatories in England and Wales, in proportion to population, than in Ireland. This may result either from an excess of juvenile criminals in England, or from a more thorough application, on the part of Judges and Magistrates, of the Reformatory principle. From the gaol statistics already given, we are able to deter-

* Including the children under detention in the Feltham Industrial School, under Stat. 17 & 18 Vic, c. clxix (Local).

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mine whether the latter is the true supposition. Children who are confined in Reformatories must, by Act of Parliament, be previously committed to gaol, and must be under 16 years of age Now the proportion of the children who were sent to Reformatory Schools to the total number under 16 years of age who were confined in gaols, is the true test of the application of the Reformatory principle in the two countries.

The following table shows the number of criminals under 16 years of age committed to gaols in Ireland in 1871, compared with those of England and Wales in 1870; and the number and per-centage of those who were further sent to Reformatory Schools.—

Commitments of Youthful Criminals in Ireland and in England and Wales.	Total number of Boys and Girls committed to Reformatories		Total number of Boys and Girls under 16 years of age committed to Gaols		Proportion of those committed to Gaols who were further committed to Reformatories	
	In Ireland in 1871	In England and Wales in 1870	In Ireland in 1871	In England and Wales in 1870	In Ireland in 1871	In England and Wales in 1870
Total, . . .	281	1,422*	1,159	10,107*	Per cent. 24 2	Per cent. 14 0

It now appears that of the entire number of juveniles under 16 years of age committed to gaol in Ireland, 24 2 per cent were further sent to Reformatories; whereas, of the entire number of juveniles under 16 years of age committed to gaol in England, only 14 per cent. were sent to Reformatories. Therefore, the excess of children in English Reformatories over those in Irish Reformatories results, not from a more thorough application of the Reformatory principle, but from an excess of youthful criminals.

There is, however, still ample scope for the extension of the Reformatory principle even in Ireland, as in the year 1871 only about one-fourth of the offenders who were sent to gaols under 16 years of age, were further sent to Reformatories.

Criminal population.

In concluding this chapter respecting criminals under confinement, an estimate of the criminal population in the two countries has been attempted The number of criminals under confinement in the several places of punishment on a given day is perfectly definite, and readily obtained in the statistics already given. It only remains to summarize the figures for each class of place of confinement in a short table. But with regard to the criminals at large, the numbers are not so easily obtained In both countries the Police have made returns of all the persons in each Police district known or suspected to be of the criminal classes in the month of April But as these figures are founded largely upon mere opinion or hearsay, and relate to matters so obviously connected with the vigilance and numbers of the Police, they do not form a perfect basis of comparison between any two countries From the peculiar circumstances of the Police in Ireland, their numbers and mode of payment, as already pointed out, a comparison with England and Wales, on the basis of these Police returns, must be considered as disadvantageous to Ireland, and as affording an approximation only to the true facts of the case

In confinement.

In the following table the number of persons under detention for criminal reasons in all Ireland, on 31st December, 1871, with the number per cent. in each class, is

* Feltham Industrial School, Middlesex, appears to serve the purpose of both a gaol and a Reformatory, and the total number of commitments to it in 1870 (109) under the Special Act has been added in this table to both the gaol and the Reformatory figures for England.

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compared with the corresponding statistics for England and Wales on 31st December, 1870 :—

Numbers in places of confinement for criminals in Ireland and in England and Wales compared.

Places of Confinement	Ireland — Total of both Sexes.	In a portion of the Population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland — Total of both Sexes.	Per-centage to Total	
			Ireland	England and Wales.
Total in all places of confinement,	10,218	9,447	100	100·
In places of refuge or protection,	3,492	152	34 2	1 7
Lunatic Asylums,	3,492	152	34 2	1·7
In places of prevention or reform,	3,426	2,271	33 5	24 0
Industrial Schools,	2,456	1,162	24 0	12 3
Reformatory Schools,	970	*1,109	9 5	11 7
In places of punishment,	3,300	7,024	32 3	74 3
Gaols,	†2,105	†4,733	20 6	50 1
Convict Prisons,	1,195	2,291	11·7	24 2

It appears that in Ireland a larger number of persons is held in confinement by authority of the executive than in a corresponding portion of England and Wales. But in Ireland the great majority are confined because they are dangerous, or to prevent them from falling into crime because they are unprotected, while the great majority in England and Wales are held in confinement for overt acts of crime. In Ireland 34·2 per cent. of the criminal and dangerous classes are confined in Lunatic Asylums, as against 1·7 per cent. in England and Wales. In Ireland 33 5 per cent. of these were confined in Reformatories and Industrial Schools against 24·0 per cent in England and Wales; whilst of the total number there were only 32·3 per cent. of these classes confined in Ireland, in Gaols and Convict Prisons, against no less than 74·3 per cent in England and Wales.

Criminal classes at large in Ireland and in England and Wales compared.

The Police Returns of criminal classes at large have been obtained under the three heads of—known thieves, receivers of stolen goods, and suspected persons; and the ages follow the Industrial and Reformatory School period, viz., the number under 16 years and the number above 16 years. In Ireland in former years, down to September, 1870, these returns were made for the month of September. They are in the present volume made for the month of April, 1872, in accordance with a corresponding change in the English statistics. No returns were obtained for April, 1871, as the Constabulary were at that time engaged in taking the Census.

In compiling returns for present volume, the Police were directed, as in England, to follow the rule that persons known to have been living honestly for one year at least subsequently to their discharge after any conviction, should not be returned in the class of known thieves and depredators.

* Including number at end of year under Special Act in Feltham Industrial School.
† Debtors and persons confined on civil process (90) are excluded from this number, and the persons in bridewells in Ireland at close of year (100) are included.

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Criminal classes at large in Ireland and in England and Wales compared

In the following table the number of criminal classes at large in Ireland in April, 1872, is contrasted with the corresponding statistics for England and Wales in April, 1870 :—

Criminal Classes at Large	Ireland, 1872.			England and Wales, 1870	Per-centage to Total	
	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls	Total of both Sexes.	Number in a portion of the Population equal to that of Ireland.	Ireland.	England and Wales.
Total of all ages,	4,131	2,193	6,324	12,707	100·	100·
Total under 16 years of age,	462	185	647	1,724	10·2	13 6
Total 16 years and above,	3,669	2,008	5,677	10,983	89·8	86 4
Suspected persons,	2,919	1,245	4,164	6,803	65 9	53 6
Under 16 years of age,	291	130	421	845	6 6	6 6
16 years and above,	2,628	1,115	3,743	5,955	59 3	47 0
Known thieves and depredators,	978	723	1,701	5,280	26 9	41 5
Under 16 years of age,	158	46	204	856	3·2	6·7
16 years and above,	820	677	1,497	4,424	23·7	34·8
Receivers of stolen goods,	234	225	459	624	7 2	4 9
Under 16 years of age,	13	9	22	20	0 4	0 2
16 years and above,	221	216	437	604	6 8	4 7

From this table it appears that, notwithstanding the greater vigilance of the Police in Ireland than in England, the returns of the Police as to criminal persons at large are much more favourable to the former country than the latter. In Ireland the total number is only about half the total in a corresponding portion of the population of England and Wales; the proportion of youthful criminals is smaller; the proportion of known thieves and depredators is smaller; while, the proportion of receivers of stolen goods is larger than in the English returns, and, as might be expected from the vigilance of the Police, the proportion of suspected persons is also larger.

In the following table the total number of criminals on a given day, both in confinement and at large, as compiled from Police returns and returns from gaols, asylums, &c., in Ireland and in England and Wales, is compared with the total population —

——	Number in Confinement.	Number at Large	Total Number of Criminal Persons.	Population.	In every 10,000 of Population
Ireland,	10,218	6,324	16,542	5,388,459*	30 7
England and Wales,	39,393	52,987	92,380	22,457,366†	41·1

It appears, according to this estimate, that in every 10,000 of the population of England and Wales, 41·1 persons belong to the criminal classes; while in every 10,000 of the population of Ireland the proportion is only 30 7. And in this estimate it must be remembered that the inmates of Lunatic Asylums, who are so numerous in Ireland, have been included, and that no allowance in favour of Ireland has been made for the vigilance of the Police in the matter of suspected persons at large; otherwise the Irish number, as compared with the English, would be very considerably more favourable.

* Middle of 1871.

† Middle of 1870.

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CHAPTER IV.—COST OF THE REPRESSION OF CRIME.

The returns in this volume show the cost of repression of crime, to compare with the cost as shown in the English Criminal Statistics, under the heads of Police, Persons in Confinement, and Criminal Prosecutions

Cost of Repressing Crime	In Ireland in 1871.	In a portion of the Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal in that of Ireland	In Ireland less than in England and Wales.	In England and Wales less than in Ireland.	In Ireland less than in England and Wales	In England and Wales less than in Ireland.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	For cent.	For cent.
Total cost,	1,323,053 17 1	869,700 16 0	–	453,353 1 1	–	34
Police,	969,612 11 4	523,386 12 0	–	446,225 19 4	–	46
Persons in confinement,	281,101 6 2	289,523 14 0	8,422 7 10	–	3	–
Prosecutions,	72,339 19 7	56,790 10 0	–	15,549 9 7	–	21

It appears from this table that the sum expended in repressing crime in England and Wales is proportionately less than the corresponding expenditure in Ireland by £453,353 1*s* 1*d*. in amount, or 34 per cent.

In a proportionate population in England and Wales the Police cost £523,386 12*s* 0*d*, being £446,225 19*s* 4*d*., or 46 per cent. less than in Ireland.

There was £15,549 9*s* 7*d*., or 21 per cent., less expended on prosecutions in a proportionate part of England and Wales than in Ireland.

Persons in confinement in England and Wales cost more—the Irish figure being £8,422 7*s*. 10*d*, or 3 per cent. less.

The following summary shows the Police Force in Ireland in 1871, compared with the number in 1870 at the periods of the year stated in the tables —

Total Establishments. (Police Tables, Nos. 1-4.)

Constabulary and Police.	1871	1870.	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Royal Irish Constabulary.				
Inspector General and other Superior Officers,	5	5	–	–
County Inspectors (including Town Inspectors),	36	36	–	–
Sub-Inspectors,	249	247	2	–
Head-Constables,	323	325	–	–
Constables,	2,029	2,034	–	5
Acting-Constables,	519	520	–	1
Sub-Constables,	9,454	9,307	147	–
Total,	12,615	12,472	143	–
Dublin Metropolitan Police.				
Commissioners,	2	2	–	–
Superintendents,	7	7	–	–
Inspectors,	26	26	–	–
Sergeants,	123	122	1	–
Constables,	912	928	–	16
Total,	1,070	1,085	–	15
Local Force.				
Superintendents, Constables, Town Bailiffs, and Watchmen,	124	247	–	123
Officers of Health and Inspectors of Nuisances,	138	127	11	–
Fire Brigade,	81	76	5	–
Total,	343	450	–	107
Grand Total,	14,028	14,007	21	–

A column in the table (No 1) shows the proportion which the number of effective force of Constabulary bears to the population in the various counties, and in towns with

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(Table, No. 1, Part III.)

a separate Police force, in Ireland. In the following counties the proportion of Police to population is the smallest, as will be seen from the table :—

Down,	9	in every 10,000 of the population.	
Londonderry,	9	„	„
Armagh,	10	„	„
Tyrone,	11	„	„
Antrim,	11	„	„

In the following counties in Ireland the proportion of Police is the largest :—

Tipperary, North Riding,	51	in every 10,000 of the population.	
Westmeath,	50	„	„
Meath,	44	„	„
Tipperary, South Riding,	42	„	„
King's County,	41	„	„
Kilkenny,	35	„	„
Limerick,	35	„	„

The number of the Royal Irish Constabulary has been increased by 143 men ; the Dublin Metropolitan Police have been reduced by 15 men, making a total of 1,070 men. In the case of the Local Police there has been a decrease of 107 men There has been, however, an increase of 5 in the Fire Brigade, and an increase of 11 in the number of Officers of Health and Inspectors of Nuisances In the total strength of the Police Force in Ireland there has been an increase of 21 men, being in 1871 14,028, as compared with 14,007 in 1870.

In comparing the Police Forces of Ireland with those of England and Wales, the Royal Irish Constabulary may be considered as corresponding to the English Police in counties, boroughs and dockyards, but differs from the English Police Force in being placed exclusively under the control of the Central Government, and the Dublin Metropolitan Police may be considered as similar to the London Metropolitan Police and the City of London Police taken together.

Since the substitution of the Royal Irish Constabulary for the Local Police in Belfast and Londonderry, and the Town Council Fire Brigade for the Dublin Metropolitan Police Fire Brigade, the Local Force in Ireland has ceased to have same importance for the repression of crime as at the commencement of these statistics in 1863.

In England there is a special class of Detective Officers, the number of which in 1870 was 432, a slight increase having been made upon the number of the previous year In the Royal Irish Constabulary there is no special Force of this kind, the members of the different branches of the Force being selected, when necessary, to act as detectives, but in the Police of the Dublin Metropolitan Police District there is an entire division of 44 men who are detectives.

The proportion of Police—excluding County Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors and Local Force—to the Census population of Ireland in 1871 was 25 in every 10,000 of the people, while in England and Wales—excluding Superior Officers—in 1870 it was only 12.

Cost of Establishments (Police Tables, No 1, 2, and 3.)

The following table shows the total cost of the Police Establishments in Ireland in 1871, as compared with that for 1870 :—

Cost of Police Establishments.	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
	£ s d.	£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s d
Total of all Ireland,	969,612 11 4	963,896 9 4	5,716 2 0	–
Royal Irish Constabulary— Head Office, Receiver's Office, Establishments in Counties, and in Counties of Cities and of Towns, including Depot,	862,282 13 7	856,552 12 7	5,730 6 0	–
Dublin Metropolitan Police. Total,	97,209 11 3	92,756 11 7	4,452 19 8	–
Viz :—Establishment (exclusive of Police employed at Police Courts),	90,781 1 10	86,341 14 9	4,439 7 1	–
Office of Commissioners,	6,428 9 5	6,414 16 10	13 12 7	–
Local Force,	10,120 1 6	14,587 5 2	–	4,467 3 8

This table indicates an increase in the total cost of the Police Force in 1871 of £5,716 2*s* upon the cost of the preceding year

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The cost of places of confinement in 1871, as compared with the corresponding cost in a portion of the population of England and Wales equal to that of Ireland, was as follows:—

Cost of Places of Confinement	In Ireland in 1871	In a portion of Population of England and Wales in 1870 equal to that of Ireland	In Ireland less than in England and Wales.	In England and Wales less than in Ireland	In Ireland less than in England and Wales.	In England and Wales less than in Ireland
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Per cent.	Per cent.
Total of all places of confinement in Ireland, . .	281,101 6 2	289,523 14 0	8,422 7 10	–	2·9	–
County and Town Gaols and Bridewells, .	89,613 16 4	160,068 15 2	70,454 18 10	–	44·0	–
Criminal Lunatics, . .	78,664 10 2	8,573 8 5	–	70,091 3 9	–	89·1
Convict Prisons, . .	40,283 17 3	71,720 12 5	31,436 14 9	–	43·8	–
Reformatories and Industrial Schools, . .	72,539 2 0	49,161 0 0	–	23,378 2 0	–	32·2

It appears from the above table that the cost of persons in confinement in Ireland was less than the English proportion, under the following heads, to the amount and per-centage stated, viz.—County and Town Gaols, £70,454 18*s* 10*d*, or 44·0 per cent., and Convict Prisons £31,436 14*s*. 9*d*, or 43·8 per cent.; and was less in England and Wales than in Ireland to the amount and per-centage stated as follows—Criminal Lunatic Asylums, £70,091 3*s* 9*d*, or 89·1 per cent., and Reformatory and Industrial Schools, £23,378 2*s*, or 32·2 per cent.

The total cost of places of confinement in Ireland is less than the English proportion by £8,422 7*s*. 10*d*, or 2·9 per cent.

The largest item, in the above summary, for Ireland is for County and Town Gaols, and as to these information has been collected similar to that obtained in preceding years. County and Town Gaols.

The following table shows the number of officers in Irish County Gaols, and the number of officers of each class in the corresponding English prisons for comparison — Number of officers in gaols (Table, No. 8.)

Rank of Officers	Ireland, 1871			English proportion of Officers for Irish number of Prisons.	Difference	
	Men.	Women.	Total.		English proportionate number less than Irish number	Irish number less than English proportionate number.
Governors and Deputy-Governors and Keepers, .	56	–	56	50	6	–
Local Inspectors, ...	37	–	37	–	37	–
Chaplains, ...	90	–	90	43	47	–
Medical Officers, ...	48	–	48	40	8	–
Clerks, Schoolmasters, Schoolmistresses, .	38	8	46	60	–	14
Upper Warders, Matrons, ...	54	50	104	468	–	119
Under Warders, ...	212	33	245			
Other subordinate officers, ...	22	35	57	155	–	98
Total, ...	557	126	683	816	–	133

The number of officers in Irish prisons in 1871 is somewhat smaller than in 1870, the total number returned being 683 as compared with 686 in 1870. The English proportionate number is now greater by 133 than the Irish number. It is to be observed, however, that in Ireland there is a larger number of officers of a superior class, *e g* the number of chaplains being 90, while in England and Wales the proportionate number was only 43, and the class of "Local Inspectors" being peculiar to Ireland. In England and Wales, on the other hand, the number of subordinate officers is greater than in Ireland.

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Cost of Prisoners. (Tables, Nos 7 and 8.)

These figures are very important in connexion with the circumstance that discipline is maintained in Irish gaols with less than half the number of cases of punishment for prison offences than in England.

The following summary shows the expenses in detail, the total costs of Gaols and of officers and prisoners, and the average charge per prisoner in Ireland in 1871, with the corresponding figures for England and Wales in 1870 :—

Cost and Average Charge of Prisoners in Gaols.	Ireland, 1871.	In portion of England and Wales equal to Ireland, 1870.	Average Cost per Prisoner, Ireland.	Average Cost per Prisoner, England and Wales.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Buildings and Establishment Charges :—				
Extraordinary Expenses :—				
Repayment of Money borrowed, Interest, &c.,	697 12 0	10,857 0 0	0 6 1¼	2 5 9
New Buildings, Additions, and Alterations,	95 7 6	31,552 16 0	0 0 10	6 13 0
Total,	792 19 6	42,409 16 0	0 6 11¼	6 18 9
Ordinary Annual Charges :—				
Ordinary Repairs,	4,944 5 1½	5,830 10 7	2 3 4	1 4 6
Rent, Rates, Taxes,	173 0 3	550 17 7	0 1 6	0 2 4
Fuel and Light,	5,400 4 3	9,095 2 2	2 7 4	1 18 3
Furniture, Bedding, &c.,	1,572 1 11½	1,989 18 10	0 13 9½	0 8 4
Printing, Stationery, Books,	1,097 3 11½	1,593 6 5	0 9 7½	0 6 8
Removal of Prisoners,	3,554 18 5½	1,548 10 7	1 11 1½	0 5 9
Other Establishment Charges,	1,640 11 8½	5,517 9 7	0 16 1½	1 3 3
Total,	18,562 4 10½	25,925 15 9	8 2 10	5 9 1
2. Officers :—				
Salaries and Fees,	37,140 19 2	47,919 18 0	16 5 6	10 1 6
Clothing and Allowances,	5,001 17 10½	2,778 15 3	2 3 10	0 11
Pensions,	3,167 16 3½	3,914 4 1	1 7 9	0 16 6
Total,	45,310 13 4	54,612 17 4	19 7 1	11 9 8
3. Prisoners :—				
Diet,	14,597 14 0½	26,991 17 0	6 5 0	5 13 6
Sick Allowances, Medicines,	1,549 8 7½	1,403 6 0	0 13 7	0 5 9
Clothing, Washing, Cooking,	2,534 10 2	7,732 7 10	1 2 2	1 12 4
Earnings or other Payments on Discharge,	105 1 11	992 15 3	0 0 11	0 4 6
Total,	18,786 14 9	37,120 6 0	8 4 8	7 16 1
Grand Total,	83,472 12 5½	160,068 15 1	36 11 6½	33 13 7

The total expenditure (£83,472 12*s.* 5½*d.*) for 1871 shows a decrease of £1,171 13*s.* 9½*d.* upon the amount (£82,300 18*s.* 8½*d.*) expended in 1870. This decrease was in the sums returned under the head of "Ordinary Annual Expenses."

It appears from this summary that the total cost of each prisoner in Ireland is £36 11*s.* 6½*d.*, as compared with £33 13*s.* 7*d.*, the total cost per head in England and Wales.

Criminal Lunatics in Asylums. (Table No. 1.)

As to the next largest item of expenditure in Ireland—the support of criminal lunatics in asylums—the expenditure in district asylums upon this class is necessarily, to some extent, mixed up with the cost of supporting lunatics who are not criminals; but the following figures show the amount returned as the costs of criminal lunatics in asylums, with the portion chargeable to the general taxes :—

	£ s. d.
Local taxes (County Cess) in Ireland,	73,466 3 8
General taxes of United Kingdom,	4,947 19 8
Private funds of lunatics, their friends, or other sources,	250 6 10
Total,	£78,664 10 2

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As to Convict Prisons, the returns show the total number of persons employed in all the prisons on the establishment as follows. The number of women on the staff was reduced by 5 in 1871; the number of men has been reduced from 195 to 190; the chaplains and assistant-chaplains remain unchanged. The remainder of the reduction has been amongst the subordinate officers.

Convict Prisons Establishment. (Table, No. 4.)

	Men.	Women.	Total.
Governors, Deputy-Governors, and Superintendents,	3	1	4
Chaplains and Assistant-Chaplains,	13	–	13
Lecturer, Schoolmasters, and Schoolmistresses,	5	3	8
Medical Officers and Apothecaries,	4	–	4
Clerks,	5	1	6
Subordinate Officers,	160	31	191
Total Establishment,	190	36	226

Cost of Convict Prisons. (Table, No. 5.)

The total expense of the different Convict Prisons, and the annual cost per prisoner under distinct heads, is given in the following tables:—

Convict Prisons	Total Expenses	Officers and Servants Expenses	Ordinary Establishment Expenses.	Escort of Prisoners and Incidentals.	Fuel, Furniture, Buildings, Rents, &c.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total,	40,283 17 8	16,921 8 7	16,792 16 8	713 8 8	5,856 3 9
Separate Confinement—					
Mountjoy, for Men,	5,799 19 9	4,147 13 1	2,022 3 1	191 13 1	2,438 10 6
Mountjoy, for Women,	9,736 9 10	3,423 11 9	4,540 12 8	199 4 6	1,568 0 11
Public Works and Invalids—					
Spike Island,	18,667 1 8	8,454 9 7	8,360 12 8	215 16 7	1,616 2 5
Intermediate Prison—					
Lusk,	3,080 6 10	890 14 2	1,849 8 3	106 14 6	233 9 11

Annual cost per prisoner.

Convict Prisons.	Annual Charge per Prisoner.				
	Gross Annual Charge	Officers and Servants Expenses.	Ordinary Establishment Expenses	Escort of Prisoners and Incidentals	Fuel, Furniture, Buildings, Rents, &c.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Separate Confinement—					
Mountjoy, for Men,	65 3 7	30 14 5	14 19 6	1 8 5	18 1 3
Mountjoy, for Women,	29 4 7	10 5 11	13 12 8	0 12 0	4 14 0
Public Works and Invalids—					
Spike Island,	26 17 11	12 3 8	12 1 6	0 6 2	2 6 7
Intermediate Prison—					
Lusk,	50 10 0	14 12 0	30 6 4	1 15 0	3 16 8
Average for all,	32 13 8	13 16 8	13 14 7	0 11 8	4 15 9

Reformatories

As to Reformatories, the total costs in Ireland are returned as £24,347 2*s.* 4*d.* In calculating the corresponding figure for England and Wales it has been necessary, in addition to the contribution from the Treasury of £66,129 4*s.* 6*d.*, and contribution from parents of £2,658 17*s.* 4*d.*, alone returned in England and Wales, to add a sum of £52,921, to cover the estimated expenditure from other sources, based on the returned cost of £27 9*s.* per annum of children in the Middlesex department of the Feltham school, to approximate to the true cost and obtain a figure truly comparable with the costs returned in the Irish schools.

Industrial Schools.

In the case of Industrial Schools the total expenditure returned is £48,191 19*s.* 7*d.* In addition to the expenditure returned in England and Wales, it has been necessary to add an estimate of £4,350 for 6 Industrial Schools which made no returns.

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Bridewells

The total cost of Bridewells for the year 1871 is shown by the following summary of Returns received from Local Inspectors:—

	£	s.	d.
1. Building and Establishment Charges,	1,651	0	0½
2. Cost of Officers,	3,680	19	10
3. Cost of Prisoners,	809	13	0
Total,	6,141	3	10½

Cost of Criminal Procedure.

The next item of costs of repression of crime is that connected with criminal procedure. This is distributed under two heads—Criminal Prosecutions and Coroners' Inquests:—

Cost of Procedure (Ireland) *	Total Costs.	Per cent.	General Taxes.	Local Taxes.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total cost of prosecutions,	72,339 19 7	100	64,935 5 5	7,404 14 2
Prosecutions at Criminal Courts,	64,935 5 5	89·6	64,935 5 5	—
Coroners' Inquests,	7 404 14 2	10 2	—	7,404 14 2

The corresponding figures for England and Wales for 1870 are as follows:—

Cost of Procedure (England, &c.)†	Total Costs.	Per cent	General Taxes	Local Taxes.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d	£ s. d
Total cost,	236,815 7 6	100	157,676 16 6	79,138 11 0
Prosecutions at Criminal Courts,	157,676 16 6	66 6	157,676 16 6	—
Coroners' Inquests,	79,138 11 0	33 4	—	79,138 11 0

Coroners' Inquests

In England and Wales the cost of the Coroners' ancient tribunal for inquiry and prosecution in case of death bears a much larger proportion to the total cost than in Ireland. This arises from three causes: the average cost of an inquest is higher, viz., £3 2*s* 4*d* in England and Wales in 1870, as compared with £2 11*s*. 2*d* in Ireland in 1871; the number of inquests in proportion to population is much greater in England; and, lastly, the system of public prosecutions is more complete in Ireland. The proportion of Police to population is greater; there is a larger staff of resident or stipendiary Magistrates, who in serious cases are prosecutors as well as judges; there is a Sessional Crown Solicitor in each county to conduct prosecutions at Quarter Sessions, and a Crown Solicitor sometimes acting for one county only, and sometimes for more than one, to prepare cases for Assizes and Commission Courts, submitting them in the first instance to the Attorney-General or senior Crown Counsel on circuit, for directions, and instructing the Crown Counsel at the trial. In Scotland, where the system of public prosecution in each county is more completely concentrated in the hands of one officer, the Procurator-Fiscal, who discharges the duties of both Sessional and Assize Crown Solicitor, there is no Coroner's inquest, inquiries being intrusted to the Procurator-Fiscal without a jury. In England and Wales, on the other hand, prosecutions are left, in the main, to private prosecutors, certain expenses only being paid; thus, while there were 2,971 prosecutions at the Circuit Assizes Courts, and 928 at the Central Criminal Court, or 3,899

* In Ireland the cost of criminal prosecutions for the year ended 31st March, 1872, and the cost of Coroners' inquests for the year ended 31st December, 1871.

† In England the costs of criminal prosecutions are for the year ended 31st December, 1869, and the cost of Mint and Treasury prosecutions are added for the year 1869 (£4,234 7*s*. 5*d*.), and the costs of Coroners' inquests for the year ended 31st December, 1870

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in all, in the year 1869, the Treasury Solicitor prosecuted in only 316 Mint cases and 51 other cases

On consultation with some of the Crown Solicitors, a new form of return as to costs of criminal prosecutions was settled last year, more convenient for the officers to make, and bringing the information up to a later date (31st March, 1872). As a large part of prosecutions of the crimes of the preceding year take place at the January Sessions and March Assizes, the expenses for the year ended 31st March more nearly represent the cost of the crime of the calendar year under consideration than was possible with the date in previous returns of expenses, which were for the year ended 1st of October.

Criminal Prosecutions.	Costs of Criminal Prosecutions.		Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
	1871.	1870.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total of all Ireland, ...	64,935 5 5	75,244 0 2	–	10,308 14 9
Assizes and Commission Courts, . .	44,051 3 8	–	–	–
Quarter Sessions, ...	16,382 12 8	–	–	–
Petty Sessions, Inquests, and Police Courts, ...	823 4 11	–	–	–
Expenses not classed, . . .	3,678 4 2	–	–	–

Criminal Courts.	Number of Prosecutions in respect of which expenses were incurred	Number of Persons for Trial	Number of Prosecutors and Witnesses paid.
Total, ...	2,990	4,063	13,793
At Assizes and Commission Courts, . .	1,060	1,504	6,331
At Quarter Sessions, ...	1,828	2,433	6,704
At Petty Sessions, Inquests, and Police Courts,	102	131	758

It appears that in 1871 there were 13,793 prosecutors and witnesses returned paid in all Ireland, as compared with 14,752 in 1870, being a decrease of 959. The costs also were £10,308 14*s.* 9*d.* less than the costs of 1870.

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PART II.—JUDICIAL STATISTICS.

COMMON LAW, EQUITY, AND CIVIL LAW.

Part II Judicial Statistics.

The general arrangement of this Part follows the corresponding portion of the English Report, treating first of the Superior Courts of Common Law and the Superior Courts of Equity, including the Landed Estates Courts and the Court of Probate, connected with them as being under the Chancery Appeal Court Then follow the High Court of Admiralty and the Court of Bankruptcy and the Supreme Courts of Appeal In this volume, as in the one for last year, the local Courts are placed last

The arrangement of the tables in this part of the volume does not materially differ from that of the preceding year. The other changes introduced principally follow the changes effected by legislation. The returns received prior to 1871, under the head of Canon Law, from the Ecclesiastical Courts and from the High Court of Delegates in Ireland, have disappeared through the intervention of the Irish Church Act, 1869. A return has been obtained under the Court of Probate with regard to jurisdiction created from 1st January, 1871, under 33 & 34 Vic , c 110, as to Matrimonial Causes and Matters, and with regard to proceedings under the Legitimacy Declaration Act (Ireland), 1868. Returns have also been received with regard to proceedings under the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870, both for the year 1871 and for the brief portion of the year 1870 during which the Act was in operation More detailed information is given this year as to fiscal proceedings on circuit and compensation for malicious injuries, than in any previous volume.

The Court of Queen's Bench in Ireland has, at the Crown side, a general jurisdiction corresponding to the jurisdiction of the Court of Queen's Bench in England It has also a jurisdiction peculiar to itself of fiating the presentments made by the Grand Jury of the county of Dublin for the expenditure of the local tax called county cess, in the repairs of roads, expenses of prisons and asylums, and other local purposes, and of fiating the presentments of the Town Council of the city of Dublin, so far as it exercises the powers formerly vested in the Grand Jury of the city of Dublin in respect of county cess.

In connexion with these fiscal powers the Court has jurisdiction over the traverses of presentments of the Grand Jury or Town Council, which are chiefly for new roads and claims for malicious injuries to property

The Court has also a jurisdiction, peculiar to Ireland, in the case of railway traverses under the Railways (Ireland) Act, 1851 (14 & 15 Vic , c 70).

Court of Queen's Bench. (Crown Side)

Queen's Bench. (Table, No 1, Parts *a* and *b*)

The ordinary business at the Crown side of the Court of Queen's Bench in 1871, as compared with that in the preceding year, is set out in the following summary. The figures show a slight increase in the business during the year.

Crown Business	1871	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Writs of Mandamus, application for,	1	4	–	3
Writs of Habeas Corpus, application for,	20	24	–	4
Certiorari, Rules Nisi,	20	10	10	–
Information, Rules Nisi,	1	–	1	–
Other Special Rules absolute,	97	99	–	2

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The fiscal business of the Court in 1871 and 1870 was as follows:—

Fiscal Business	1871	1870	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Fiscal Presentments:				
Number fiated,	719	673	46	–
Amount „	£95,136	£81,907	£13,229	–

This table shows an increase of 46 in the number of presentments, and the large increase of £13,229 in the amount fiated

With regard to the claims for malicious injuries in the county and city of Dublin, it appears from the table (No 1), that there were 14 petitions presented to the Court in 1871 for a total sum of £1,440 19*s.* 0*d.* Of these 11 were presented by the Town Council under the direction of the Court, and for a sum of £272 7*s.* 1*d.* The rest were disallowed. All these claims were from the city of Dublin. None were made during the year from the county In 1870 there were 5 petitions from the city and none from the county of Dublin, of which 1 was granted, and for a sum of £93 10*s.* 6*d.*

The English and Irish Law and Chancery Commissioners in their First Report, 1863, reported that the powers which the Judges of the Court of Queen's Bench in England have, under Statute 6 & 7 Vict., c. 20, s. 11 (1844), of framing rules do not exist in Ireland, and recommended that the Court of Queen's Bench in Ireland should be provided with the like powers to those of the Court in England, and that the proceedings and practice adopted in England at the Crown side of the Court of Queen's Bench should be extended to Ireland By the Bill* introduced by Mr. Heron, the Irish Judges will have the same power as the English Judges, so that the statutable difference as to this power of regulating the practice and procedure of the Crown Side of the Queen's Bench, which has existed since 1844, will cease The same Commissioners unanimously recommended that the system of practice and procedure of the Courts of Common Law of England and Ireland should, as far as practicable, be assimilated Bills have been introduced in several sessions since 1863, to carry out this recommendation; the last of them was postponed in 1869, for the carrying out of the recommendations of the Judicature Commission as to the English Courts, and the dissimilarity of the laws which the Commissioners reported in 1863 still continues

The issue of writs for the three Superior Courts of Common Law from a Consolidated Writ and Seal Office was established in 1850 by the Process and Practice Act (Stat. 13 & 14 Vic., c 18), and the writs of summons and plaint (English writ and declaration consolidated) are issued in rotation, twenty five for each of the three Courts, under the provisions of the Irish Common Law Procedure Act, 1853, s 15.

The number of writs issued in 1871 as compared with 1870 was as follows —

Writs.	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Summons and Plaint returnable to—				
Queen's Bench,	5,033	5,208	–	175
Common Pleas,	4,997	5,170	–	173
Exchequer,	5,078	5,132	–	54
Writs issued for Revenue Cases,	248	463	–	215
„ of Revivor,	60	52	8	–
„ of Replevin,	3	7	–	4
Inquiries, Suggestions, &c.,	231	72	159	–
Records,	599	645	–	46
Total,	16,249	16,749	–	500

The above figures show that in 1871 the number of summonses and plaints issued were 15,108 This being, as above explained, the first step in an action, indicates the

* Queen's Bench (Ireland) Procedure Act, Stat. 35 & 36 Vic., c. 28.

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Writ and Seal Office. (Table, No 5.)

number of civil suits instituted during the year. There has been a decrease of 402 suits as compared with 1870, the number in that year having been 15,510. The number of writs issued in Revenue cases was 248 as against 468 in 1870, while the writs of replevin were only 3 in 1871, as compared with 7 in 1870.

The amounts for which the writs of summons and plaint were issued are compared with those in the preceding year, in the following table —

WRITS OF SUMMONS AND PLAINT	1871	1870.	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
For sums not over £20,	4,896	5,075	–	179
Over £20 and not over £40,	3,863	4,067	–	204
Over £40 and not over £100,	3,307	3,522	–	215
Over £100,	2,658	2,584	74	–
Writs in which no sums specified,	384	262	122	–

Writs of Execution. (Table, No 5)

The number of writs of execution issued was as follows :—

WRITS OF EXECUTION	1871	1870.	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Writs of Capias ad satisfaciendum,	1,485	1,399	86	–
„ of Fieri facias,	2,827	2,593	234	–
„ on Flats,	72	99	–	27
„ of Habere,	399	422	–	23
„ of Sequestration, &c.,	21	35	–	14
Total,	4,804	4,548	256	–

From this table it appears that there was an increase in the number of writs of capias, &c, and of fieri facias issued, and a decrease in the number of other writs issued during the year.

Attorneys' licences. (Table, No 5)

The number of Attorneys' licences sealed and entered were —

In 1871,	1,155
In 1870,	1,137
Increase in 1871,	18

These figures show an increase of 18 for the year 1871.

Proceedings returned by Masters (Tables, Q.B. No 2, C.P. No. 1, and Ex. No. 1.)

The proceedings in the Masters' Offices of the Superior Courts of Common Law in Ireland, in 1871, as compared with the preceding year, are shown in the following summary —

PROCEEDINGS RETURNED BY MASTERS.	1871			1870.			Total, Three Courts, in 1871	Total, Three Courts in 1870	Increase in 1871	Decrease in 1871
	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas	Exchequer	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas	Exchequer				
Writs of Summons and Plaint filed,	4,921	3,335	4,894	4,085	3,940	3,974	13,110	12,009	101	–
Defences filed,	894	756	701	758	754	743	2,163	2,247	–	84
Ejectments for Rent,	63	87	143	72	93	162	293	326	–	33
„ on the Title,	70	54	154	69	69	127	278	263	15	–
Total Number of Case Judgments,	1,250	1,716	1,444	1 903	2,622	1,239	4,410	5,169	–	759
Total Cognovit Judgments,	178	24	414	244	30	316	616	590	26	–
Total recovered by Judgment,	£157,062	£131,952	£293,419	£384,530	£131,378	£304,775	£582,433	£791,289	–	£208,856

The above table shows an increase of 101 in the number of writs of summons and plaint filed in 1871 as compared with the number in 1870, a decrease of 33 in the number of ejectments for rent, and an increase of 16 in the number of ejectments on the title. There was a decrease in case judgments of 759, and in cognovit judgments an increase of 26. In the amount recovered on both kinds of judgments there was a decrease of £208,856.

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The distribution of the sums recovered amongst the different classes of judgments is as follows:— Amount recovered.

Amount recovered by Judgments	1871 Queen's Bench.	1871 Common Pleas.	1871 Exchequer	1871 Total, 1871	Total 1870
	£	£	£	£	£
Total Amount recovered by Judgments on Postea,	7,326	9,314	12,117	28,757	35,719
,, ,, by Judgment by Default, on Consent, and other Case Judgments,	69,357	76 437	65,954	211,748	225,574
,, of Principal recovered by Cognovit Judgments,	120,379	16,201	205,348	341,928	529,996
Total,	197,062	101,952	283,419	582,133	791,289

These figures show a decrease in the sums recovered in each of the above classes in the year 1871.

The number of affidavits filed in the year 1871 compared with 1870 was:— Affidavits.

	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas.	Exchequer.	Total
In 1871,	3,969	3,804	4,215	11,988
In 1870,	5,664	3,526	3,769	12,959
Increase in 1871,	—	278	446	—
Decrease in 1871,	1,695	—	—	971

It appears from these figures that there has been a decrease of 971 in the number of affidavits filed in 1871 as compared with the number in 1870.

In Ireland there is not, as in England, a fifth Judge in each Court to sit for Chamber business. One of the four Judges consequently sits for each Court for ex-parte motions before the sitting of the Court in Banco. Out of term the puisne Judges sit in rotation to hear motions for the three Superior Courts of Common Law.

The following summary shows the business before a single Judge, and in the Rules Office in 1871, as compared with the preceding year. There has been no material change in 1871 — Proceedings returned by Clerks of Rules.

Proceedings before a Single Judge.	1871 Queen's Bench	1871 Common Pleas.	1871 Exchequer	1870 Queen's Bench	1870 Common Pleas	1870 Exchequer	Total in Three Courts in 1871.	Total in Three Courts in 1870.	Increase in 1871.	Decrease in 1871.
Morning Sittings in Term										
Ex-parte motions,	286	199	170	309	213	207	655	729	–	74
Issues settled on summons,	4	16	5	10	17	10	25	37	–	12
Consolidated Chamber Sittings out of Term.										
Ex parte motions,	431	346	393	372	374	364	1,170	1,110	60	–
Issues settled on summons,	4	15	4	5	14	8	23	27	–	4
Motions on notice,	176	216	251	121	154	200	643	501	142	–
Total,	901	792	823	817	802	789	2,516	2,404	112	–
Proceedings in Office of Clerk of Rules—										
Side bar rules grounded on affidavit,	246	172	228	232	229	206	646	657	–	11
,, ,, not so grounded,	228	222	284	262	226	257	734	745	–	61
Total,	474	394	512	494	455	463	1,380	1,402	–	72

Side-bar Rules.

Much of the business now transacted in the office of the Clerk of the Rules was, before the Irish Common Law Procedure Act, 1853, transacted by motions in Court, and is therefore placed in the above table.

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Superior Courts of Common Law.

Proceedings in Banco, returned by Clerks of Rules.

The proceedings in Banco in the Superior Courts of Common Law in Ireland in 1871, as compared with those in the preceding year, are shown in the following table:—

Proceedings in Banco.	1871			1870.			Total in Three Courts in 1871	Total in Three Courts in 1870	Increase in 1871	Decrease in 1871
	Queen's Bench.	Common Pleas.	Exchequer	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas	Exchequer				
Errors from Inferior Court	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Motions for New Trial, or to enter or alter Verdict, or for Nonsuit, or for Arrest of Judgment, or Non-obstante Veredicto —										
Refused,	2	8	6	2	5	6	13	13	3	.
Rules Nisi granted,	29	22	27	21	17	28	78	66	12	.
" made Absolute granted on Payment of Costs,	4	12	3	2	11	4	19	17	2	
" " " without Costs	2	5	4	3	5	5	11	13		2
" " " with question of Costs reserved,	2	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	1	.
" Discharged,	11	8	13	9	9	13	32	36	2	1
Where Court divided,	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	2	.	.
Other Special Motions —										
No Rule,	21	12	3	21	11	3	36	40	.	4
Rules refused,	23	10	23	13	5	3	56	26	30	.
" Nisi granted,	53	35	37	28	28	33	125	89	36	.
" Absolute granted,	158	204	208	112	261	221	570	594		16
" Discharged with Costs,	5	11	5	2	14	21	21	37	7	
" " without Costs,	16	3	2	6		2	15	8		2
" " with Costs in the Cause,			1			3	1	3	.	
Referred to Master,	10	6	9	1	6	7	25	14	11	
On Master's Report,	2	6	5	3	6		11	3	2	.
Rules for Judgment on Demurrer,	11	7	11	14	5	7	29	29	.	.
" " on Special Verdict,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" on Special Case,	1	.	2	3	.	.	3	3	.	.
Bills of Exceptions,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Special Cases—Judgment for Plaintiff	1	.	2	2	1	.	3	3	.	.
" for Defendant,	.	.	3	1	.	.	5	1	2	
Demurrers—Judgment for Plaintiff,	6	4	2	3	7	1	12	16	.	4
" for Defendant,	5	3	5	3	1	4	13	11	2	
Bills of Exceptions—Allowed,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" Overruled,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Applications on Justices' and Fishery Commissioners' decisions —										
Affirmed,	1	.	1	2	.	1	2	3		1
Reversed,	1	.	.		.	.	1		1	
Causes referred to Master under Common Law Procedure Acts 1853 and 1856 and in other Matters,	62	7	21	36	8	10	90	54	36	

The above summary shows an increase in 1871 of 163 on the proceedings (1,021) before the full Courts in the preceding year.

Bills of Sale, acknowledgments by Married Women, and Revenue, &c., Cases.

Besides the business common to the three Superior Courts of Common Law at the Plea side, they have each small branches of distinct business. Thus, the Court of Queen's Bench has the registration of bills of sale, under the Bills of Sale Act (17 & 18 Vic., c. 36); the Court of Common Pleas has the acknowledgments of deeds by married women, under the Irish Act for the abolition of Fines and Recoveries (Stat. 4 & 5 Wm. IV., c. 92); and the Court of Exchequer has its ancient jurisdiction in Revenue cases, from which it derives its name.

(Tables, Q B No 5, C. P No. 4, Ex No 5)

The business in these matters, as compared with the preceding year, is as follows —

Special Jurisdictions of Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, and Exchequer	1871	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Queen's Bench				
Bills of Sale registered,	347	363	–	16
Common Pleas				
Acknowledgments by Married Women filed,	378	385	–	7
Special Commissions granted,	88	70	18	–
Exchequer				
Revenue and Legacy and Succession Duty Cases —				
Revenue Cases,	30	63	–	33
Legacy and Succession Duty Cases,	5	6	–	1
Motions in Court,	17	24	–	7
Motions for Attachments without Argument,	17	20	–	3

It appears there has been a decrease of 16 in the number of bills of sale registered, and of 33 in the number of Revenue cases. There has also been a slight decrease in the acknowledgments of married women, and in the number of motions in Court.

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There is in Ireland, as in England, an office for the registration of judgments common to the three Superior Courts of Common Law. In England the office is superintended by the Senior Master of the Court of Common Pleas. In Ireland there is a separate officer, called the Registrar of Judgments.

The number of judgments registered in the Registry of Judgments Office in 1871, as compared with the preceding year, was as follows:—

Registry of Judgments Office.	1871	1870	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871
Judgments of Superior Courts registered,	4,201	4,078	123	–
" " re-registered,	464	2,794	–	2,330
Judgments of Inferior Court removed to Superior Court,	5	–	5	–
Revivals,	35	28	7	–
Decrees, Rules and Orders,	24	15	9	–
Lis pendens,	485	498	–	13
Judgments from Courts in England and Scotland,	31	18	13	–
Total,	5,245	7,431	–	2,186
Recognizances registered,	227	280	–	53
" re-docketed,	–	–	–	–
Crown Bonds,	57	76	–	19
Judgments at Suit of Crown,		1	–	1
Total,	284	357	–	73
Satisfactions of Judgments,	403	402	1	–
Vacates of Crown Bonds and Vacates of Recognizances,	125	101	24	–
Cancellations of Crown Bonds,	39	30	9	–
Common Searches made,	504	665	–	161
Negative Searches made and recorded,	1,903	1,608	295	–
Total,	2,974	2,806	168	–
Requisitions for liberty to search made by public,	1,636	1,917	–	281
Attested copies of recorded Searches issued,	46	13	33	–
Duplicate Searches issued,	11	–	11	–

The amount of stamp duty was:—

	1871	1870	Increase in 1871.
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Amount of Stamp Duty (gross),	3,620 0 0	3,529 14 4	90 5 8

Number of stamped Certificates issued, upon which the Registrar previously to 30 & 31 Vic., c 129, received fees, ... 6,600

The figures in the above table show a very large decrease in the number of judgments re-registered in 1871. The number of judgments registered in 1871 was 4,201, as compared with 4,078 in 1870. The number re-registered in 1871 was 464, as compared with 2,794 in 1870.

The Act for carrying out some reforms in the office of Registrar of Judgments, introduced by Lord O'Hagan (Lord High Chancellor of Ireland), 34 & 35 Vic, c 72, only came into operation on the 14th day of August, 1871, so that it had but partial effect on the statistics for that year. Its operation, however, appears in the diminution of 161, or 24 per cent in the number of Common Searches made, and in the increase from 13 to 46 in the number of copies of Recorded Searches issued. There was also an increase of 295 in the number of Negative Searches made.

On comparing the number of judgments registered with the number entered up in the three Superior Courts of Common Law, it appears that, whilst 5,026 judgments are returned in the proceedings in Masters' Offices as entered up, only 4,201 were registered in the Registry of Judgments Office. When the Judgment Mortgage Act was passed, it was expected by the framers of that Act that the amount of business in the Registry of Judgments Office would be diminished by its operation; but this expecta-

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tion was founded upon the consideration of judgments only as charges on land, and the provisions of the Irish Bankruptcy Act of 1849, continued by the Act of 1857, requiring judgments to be registered within twenty-one days after being entered up, to secure priority in bankruptcy, were overlooked.

Difference between the Law of Judgments in England and Ireland.

The English and Irish Law and Chancery Commissioners, in their Second Report, in 1866, state that "they found the Law of Judgments of the Superior Courts of Common Law in Ireland, and the practice, process, and procedure therein, to be in a very complicated and unsatisfactory state, and to differ in some material respects from the law of England on that subject." They trace this difference in the law back to the reign of Queen Anne, from the operation of the Penal Act of Stat 2 Anne, c. 6 (Irish), passed in 1703, and the Act for the Registration of Deeds, 6 Anne (Irish), c. 2 (1707). They state as the result of their inquiries "that it appears that while in England the tendency of the whole course of legislation down to and inclusive of the Act of 1864 (27 and 28 Vict., c. 112), has been to reduce a judgment to a step in the course of procedure for the recovery of a debt, in Ireland, on the other hand, the legislation down to and inclusive of the Record of Title Act, 1865, has been in the opposite direction, and judgments affect land in Ireland prior to and entirely independent of execution."

They further state that "as the difference between the laws of the two countries as regards judgments, is not one of mere practice and procedure but extends to the Law of Bankruptcy, the jurisdiction of the Landed Estates Court, the Registry of Deeds, the Law of Debtor and Creditor, and generally to the Law of Property in Land, the question of the simplification and amendment of the Law of Judgments in Ireland could only be satisfactorily disposed of by a Parliamentary Committee, or by a Commission specially constituted for the purpose, with full powers to enter upon all the inquiries necessary for its solution."

There is in Ireland one Common Law Taxing Office for the three Superior Courts, with two Taxing Officers.

Common Law Taxing Office (Table, No. 7.)

The business of this office in 1871, as compared with the preceding year, was as follows —

Number of Bills of Costs certified	1871	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Records, &c.,	1,324	1,449	–	125
Registering Deeds,	245	210	35	–
Registering and Re-registering of Judgments,	184	811	–	627
Assignments of Judgments,	6	4	2	–
Total,	1,759	2,474	–	715
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total Amount claimed,	63,177 9 0	65,541 4 3	–	2,363 15 3
Certified Costs—Amount allowed,	48,125 4 6	50,143 6 9	–	2,018 2 3

These figures show a very large decrease in the number of bills of costs certified, the greatest decrease being connected with the registration of judgments. This arises from the diminution of 2,330 in re-registrations noticed in preceding table. These were in excess in 1870, as the recurrence of a quinquennial period from the first introduction of registrations in 1850 by statute 13 & 14 Vic., c. 29. The number of bills of costs for records was 1,324 in 1871, as compared with 1,449 in 1870. The amount certified in 1871 was £48,125 4*s.* 6*d.*, against £50,143 6*s.* 9*d.* in the previous year.

The following summaries as to Nisi Prius business have been compiled from returns received from the Town Registrars of the Chief Judges (who correspond to the Associates in England), from the Registrar of the Consolidated Nisi Prius Court, and from the

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Circuit Registrars of the Common Law Judges, who correspond to the Marshals of the Judges in England

The nature of the actions for trial at Nisi Prius is shown in the following summary —

NATURE OF ACTIONS.	Total Causes	In Dublin					On Circuit.
		Queen's Bench	Common Pleas.	Exchequer	Extra Judges after Term	Consolidated Nisi Prius	
On Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c.,	86	3	18	5	19	29	12
On Bonds,	3	–	1	–	–	–	2
For Goods sold and delivered, &c,	97	6	10	3	13	45	20
For Work and Labour done,	43	3	14	2	5	10	9
For money paid, advanced, or lent,	37	3	6	–	11	11	6
For money received,	21	2	4	1	1	–	13
For compensation for personal injuries and compensation under Lord Campbell's Act,	33	1	6	7	1	–	18
For compensation for other injuries from negligence,	24	5	1	5	–	–	13
Replevins, or actions in respect of distress,	4	–	1	–	–	1	2
Actions in the nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue,	34	2	12	1	4	2	13
For breach of contract,	91	15	15	15	15	7	24
Upon special contracts,	3	1	–	–	–	–	2
For breach of warranty and agreement,	6	–	–	2	2	–	2
For infringement of Patents,	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
For recovery of land (Ejectments),	114	–	2	–	4	1	107
Trespass, relative to lands, houses, &c,	81	6	12	7	10	1	45
Questions on Wills,	2	–	1	–	–	–	1
For breach of promise of marriage,	18	1	2	1	1	–	13
Seduction,	5	–	–	–	–	–	5
Libel,	13	3	–	1	–	–	9
Slander,	23	2	2	1	7	–	11
Malicious prosecution,	2	1	–	–	–	–	1
False imprisonment,	8	2	1	–	1	1	3
Assaults,	37	6	4	6	4	–	17
Interpleader issues, Equity cases,	4	–	–	–	–	4	–
" " Probate cases,	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
" " other cases,	4	–	–	1	1	–	2
Nuisance,	2	1	–	–	–	–	1
For breach of covenant,	4	–	1	1	–	–	2
For recovery of rent,	39	1	9	3	6	9	11
On Life and Fire Policies,	10	1	1	–	–	–	8
Illegal seizure,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other suits,	27	–	5	6	3	7	6
Total,	879	65	128	68	108	128	382

It appears from this summary that the principal causes of action in 1871 were—recovery of land, 114; goods sold and delivered, 97; breach of contract, 91; notes and bills, 86; trespass as to land, 81; work and labour, 43; recovery of rent, 39; assaults, 37; and money paid, 37.

Amounts of Verdicts

The sums for which verdicts were given are shown in the following table —

NUMBER AND CLASS OF AMOUNTS.	Total	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas.	Exchequer	Consolidated Nisi Prius.	After Sittings before Exam. Judges	On Circuit.
Above £5,000,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
£5,000 and above £3,000,	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
£3,000 " £2,000,	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
£2,000 " £1,000,	2	–	–	1	–	–	1
£1,000 " £300,	6	1	–	–	1	1	3
£300 " £200,	7	1	1	–	1	2	2
£200 " £100,	18	–	1	1	3	1	12
£100 " £50	30	1	5	4	1	2	14
£50 " £20,	55	2	9	1	8	5	24
£20 and under,	80	6	17	2	16	6	33
Right of Plaintiff established,	112	3	7	6	11	13	70
	57	–	2	–	2	–	53
Total,	369	14	45	17	45	34	216
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total Amount recovered,	40,404 5 6½	1,896 16 6½	3,251 7 0½	2,827 13 0	3,515 18 10½	5,063 4 0	26,309 12 1½

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The total amount recovered was £40,404 5s. 6¾d., as compared with £40,631 12s. 2½d. in 1870.

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Proceedings under Stat 33 & 34 Vic., cap 100	Total	Queen's Bench.	Common Pleas.	Exchequer.
Number of applications to remit to inferior Courts,	193	83	36	74
Number of applications refused, .	51	23	7	21
Number of applications granted, . . .	142	60	29	53
In Cases of Contract under £40				
Number of applications granted, .	62	27	14	21
In Cases of Tort				
Number of applications granted under sec. 6,	80	33	15	32
Giving security for costs, and continuing in superior Courts.	7	4	–	3
Failing to give security, and so remitted,	73	29	15	29

It appears from this table that of 193 applications to remit cases of contract to the inferior Courts, 142 were granted Of the cases granted 62 were in contract and 80 in tort; 7 of the latter were retained in superior Courts by security for costs—leaving 135 cases actually remitted

Disposal of causes at Nisi Prius.

The disposal of causes at Nisi Prius is shown in the following table :—

Disposal of Causes at Nisi Prius.	Total Causes.	Dublin.					On Circuit
		Queen's Bench	Common Pleas	Exchequer	Consolidated Nisi Prius Court.	Extra Judges at After-Sittings	
Verdict for plaintiff, . .	369	14	45	17	43	34	216
Verdict for plaintiff, subject to special case, . . .	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
Verdict by consent with reference, .	20	2	–	2	1	–	15
Verdict for defendant, .	104	5	12	5	5	16	61
Jury discharged without verdict, .	29	2	2	1	1	–	23
Juror withdrawn, .	12	–	1	–	–	–	9
Nonsuit, . . .	11	2	–	1	–	1	7
Stet processus and Remanets, . .	13	1	–	3	–	–	9
Venue changed, . . .	8	–	4	1	–	3	–
Record withdrawn, struck out, or settled, &c, ...	297	39	60	38	68	54	40
Transferred, or postponed to after sittings, . .	12	–	2	–	10	–	–
Referred to arbitration, &c, .	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
Total, ...	879	65	128	68	128	108	382

The total number of causes tried at Nisi Prius, as appears from this table, was 879 in 1871, against 929 in 1870. There has been an increase in the number of cases on circuit, but a decrease in those tried in Dublin. The total diminution was only 50 cases, whilst there were 195 cases remitted to the inferior Courts for trial. This amount of reference to the inferior Courts, taken in connexion with the relative increase of business on circuit, indicates a tendency towards the local administration of justice.

Appeals heard at Consolidated Nisi Prius Court. (Table, No. 2)

The Consolidated Nisi Prius Court, besides its ordinary jurisdiction, has a further jurisdiction as a Court of Appeal from the Courts of the Recorder of the City of Dublin and of the Chairman of the County of Dublin.

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The number of these appeals or rehearings in 1871 and 1870 was as follows :—

APPEALS AT CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS.		Entered	Affirmed	Reversed	Settled, Struck out, &c.
From Decree or Dismiss of Recorder of Dublin, or of Chairman of County of Dublin,	1871,	48	24	14	10
	1870,	31	22	9	–

Circuit Business.

The Nisi Prius proceedings on circuit have been included in the summaries of the business of the three Superior Courts, as will be seen from the preceding table

Appeals, Traverses, and Claims for Malicious Injuries.

In Ireland the Judges on circuit have several branches of jurisdiction not exercised by the Judges on circuit in England, viz., appeals in the nature of rehearings from the decisions of the Chairmen of Counties, or Irish County Court Judges, and Recorders; the fiating of the presentments of the Grand Juries of the local tax in Ireland called Grand Jury cess, the hearing of traversee and objections to presentments and to claims for malicious injuries, and also the hearing of railway traverses under the Irish Railway Act, 1851 (14 & 15 Vic., c 70).

The number of appeals on circuit in 1871 and 1870 was as follows :—

APPEALS ON CIRCUIT		Entered	Affirmed.	Reversed or Varied	Settled, Struck out, &c.
From Chairmen of Counties and Recorders, ...	1871,	473	223	129	121
	1870,	365	183	97	88

There has been a large increase in the number of appeals to the Judges of Assize from the Chairmen of Counties and Recorders, the number in 1871 having been 473 against 365 in 1870. The increase in the number of appeals in 1871 is connected in part with the extensions of jurisdiction in land cases and in cases remitted from the Superior Courts.

Presentments Fiated.

The number of presentments fiated by Judges on circuit has been returned for 27 counties and ridings as 36,670, and from an estimate from the latest previous returns of the number in 11 counties and ridings, from which returns have not been received in 1871, the entire number of presentments fiated may be estimated at 52,127, the number of presentments objected to or traversed were 13, and there were only 2 not fiated, in consequence of objections, and only 1 presentment disallowed on traverse. Making allowance for deficient returns, the amount of this class of business on circuits would not be raised above 20 presentments fiated after objections; 5 not fiated, in consequence of objections, indicating the very small amount of contested business of this class coming before the Judges of Assize. The railway traverses against the award of valuators for compensation for land, under the Railways (Ireland) Act, 1851, in 28 counties and ridings from which returns have been received, out of 39, were only 7 in number.

Railway Traverses.

Jurors Fines.

There were in the same number of jurisdictions 47 appeals from persons fined for non-attendance as jurors

Disposal of Claims for Malicious Injuries at Presentment Sessions and Grand Jury.

As the number of claims for compensation for malicious injuries was very great, and the amount of objections before the Judges to these presentments very few, it is of importance to ascertain how they are dealt with at earlier stages by the Presentment Sessions and Grand Juries, and it appears from returns from all counties, except Down, that out of 493 claims for compensation for malicious injuries for £11,626, submitted to Presentment Sessions, 144 (or 29·2 per cent.), amounting to £2,603 (or 22·3 per cent.), were rejected. Out of 402 claims submitted to the Grand Jury for £11,645, 68 (or 16·9 per cent.), amounting to £2,453 (or 21·0 per cent.), were disallowed. In addition there was a sum of £6,685 presented as compensation for murder or maiming in 19 cases under the Peace Preservation Act; the Grand Jury rejected 2 cases where the sum of £1,500 was claimed. The only counties not included in these returns are Cork city and Down

An attempt has been made to ascertain the operation of the Presentment Sessions and Grand Juries on presentments other than those for malicious injuries, but the returns

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asked for the first time last year are not complete enough to give a total for Ireland, and there were no data from which to supply estimates.

Taking, however, the 12 counties and counties of cities and towns as to which the Secretaries of Grand Juries have made returns respecting Presentment Sessions, it appears that of 10,630 applications to Presentment Sessions for presentments other than malicious injuries, amounting to £234,755 4*s.* 5*d.*, applications amounting to £44,937 6*s.*, or 10 per cent in number and 19·1 per cent in amount, were disapproved.

In like manner it appears that in 19 counties and counties of cities and of towns as to which complete returns of proceedings before Grand Juries have been obtained, out of 24,125 applications for such presentments, amounting to £514,597 1*s.* 5*d.*, 595 (or 2·4 per cent.) and £19,917 19*s.* 8*d.* (or 3·9 per cent.) were disallowed by the Grand Juries

Election Petitions

In 1871 no election petition was tried in Ireland.

High Court of Chancery.

The following summary gives a comparative view of the Court business in Chancery for the years 1871 and 1870 :—

Business in Court before Lord Chancellor, Master of Rolls, Vice-Chancellor, and Masters (Tables, Nos 7 and 9)

COURT BUSINESS IN CHANCERY	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
BEFORE LORD CHANCELLOR.				
General cause petitions heard,	1	11	–	10
Other petitions heard,	82	108	–	26
Orders made on motions without petitions,	87	133	–	46
Bills, informations, and special cases heard,	3	14	–	11
Cause petitions under 15th section set down and heard,	–	2	–	2
BEFORE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.				
General cause petitions heard,	3	2	1	–
Other petitions heard,	71	94	–	23
Orders made on motions without petitions,	396	442	–	46
Bills, informations, and special cases heard,	109	87	22	–
Appeals from Masters' decisions heard,	3	5	–	2
Causes and other matters for further directions heard,	9	6	3	–
BEFORE VICE CHANCELLOR				
General cause petitions heard,	4	3	1	–
Other petitions heard,	73	116	–	43
Orders made on motions without petitions,	370	328	42	–
Bills, informations, and special cases heard,	113	110	3	–
Causes and other matters for further directions heard,	19	19	–	–
BEFORE MASTERS IN CHANCERY.				
Cause petitions under 15th section of the Irish Chancery Regulation Act, 1850, heard,	105	135	–	30
Total,	1,448	1,615	–	167

Lord Chancellor's Secretary's Office. (Table, No. 1.)

The proceedings in the office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary are shown by the following summary :—

LORD CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARY'S OFFICE.	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Total number of petitions,	733	849	–	116
Orders :—				
In chamber,	378	414	–	36
For hearing—				
Before Lord Chancellor,	203	212	–	9
Before Master of the Rolls,	77	97	–	20
Before Vice-Chancellor,	75	123	–	48
Total Orders,	733	846*	–	113
Warrants as to Magistrates' Commissions,	140	251	–	111

Of the total number (733) above stated, 193 were petitions in lunacy, 320 were in

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matters relating to minors, and the remainder (220) are returned as petitions in "other matters."

In the office of Secretary to the Master of the Rolls the number of petitions was 89, the greater part of which were petitions under the Trustee Acts, and under the Public Works and Railway Acts. These petitions are not in addition to, but include the 77 petitions upon which the Lord Chancellor in chamber made an order for hearing at the Rolls.

The following is a summary of the proceedings in the Chambers of the Lord Chancellor, the Master of the Rolls, and the Vice-Chancellor, under the new Chancery Act (30 & 31 Vic., c. 44).—

PROCEEDINGS IN CHAMBERS.	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Summonses to originate Proceedings —				
For the Administration of Estates,	123	103	25	–
Under the Charitable Trusts Acts,	–	–	–	–
For appointment of Guardians and maintenance of Infants,	47	52	–	5
For other purposes,	177	123	54	–
Other Summonses,	1,344	1,173	171	–
Orders made —				
Of the Class drawn up by the Registrars,	31	30	1	–
Of the Class drawn up in Chambers,	888	692	196	–
Orders brought into Chamber for prosecution, other than Orders for winding up Companies,	299	311	–	12
Number of Orders brought into Chambers for winding up Companies,	3	7	–	4
Number of Advertisements issued,	171	132	39	–
Debts claimed and adjudicated upon :—				
Number of Debts,	809	406	403	–
Amount of Debts proved,	£327,902	£125,395	£202,507	–
Number of Contributories —				
Included in Lists of Contributories,	67	104	–	37
Excluded from Lists of Contributories,	–	344	–	344
Accounts passed other than Receivers' Accounts —				
Number of Accounts,	102	42	60	–
Receipts therein,	£102,264	£96,326	£5,938	–
Disbursements and allowances therein,	£85,026	£82,163	£2,863	–
Sales of Estates under Orders of Court —				
Number of Sales,	2	3	–	1
Amount realized,	£1,950	£50,863	–	£48,913
Purchases of Estates under Orders of Court —				
Number of Purchases,	2	2	–	–
Number of Questions and other matters referred to Landed Estates Court,	–	–	–	–
Number of Certificates filed,	169	103	66	–
Number of Appointments (by summonses, adjournment, or otherwise,) disposed of,	4,097	3,014	1,083	–
Number of Orders under which accounts and inquiries were pending on 1st November, 1871,	320	250	70	–
Number of Orders for winding up Companies then pending,	14	13	1	–
Amount of fees collected in Chambers by Stamps,	£324	£669	£155	–

The result of the above three tables is to show an increase in 1871, as compared with 1870, in the proceedings in the Chambers of the Lord Chancellor, the Master of the Rolls, and the Vice-Chancellor, as measured by the chief proceedings, viz., summonses for administration of estates, fees collected, and orders of the class drawn up in chambers,

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of about 25 per cent; while there has been a diminution of about 10 per cent: in the Court business, and of about 13 per cent. in the business of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary's office.

Registrars' Office. (Table, No. 7.)

The business in the office of the Registrars of the Court of Chancery, as distinguished from the Court business, is shown for 1871 and 1870 in the following summary:—

REGISTRARS' OFFICE	1871	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Number of Side Bar Orders,	811	758	53	—
Number of other Orders drawn up,	1,606	1,780	—	174
Number of Drafts of Accountant-General counter-signed,	4,289	4,609	—	320
Number of Affidavits under Trustee Relief Acts examined, on which Orders made,	28	32	—	4
Number of Certificates for Registry of Orders,	—	—	—	—
Total,	6,734	7,179	—	445

The above figures show a decrease in the business in 1871 as compared with 1870.

Accountant-General's Office. (Table, No. 6.)

The return of the Accountant-General is made up for the year ended 1st October, 1871, and as compared with the return for 1870 is as follows:—

	Year ended 1st Oct., 1871	Year ended 1st Oct., 1870	Increase, 1871
Balance at the end of year,	£4,343,681	£4,323,097	£20,584

These figures, taken in connexion with the receipts on accounts passed, amounting to upwards of £900,000, and the number of Receivers' and other accounts unconnected with minor and lunacy matters indicate that a large amount of administrative business is still under the Court of Chancery, notwithstanding the sales of incumbered estates which have been going on for so many years, and the sale of which still forms the largest part of the business of the Landed Estates Court

Crown and Hanaper Office. (Table, No. 3.)

In the Crown and Hanaper Office there were, during the year 1871, 2,444 official acts, as compared with 2,992 in 1870, being a decrease of 548.

Lunacy Office. (Table, No. 2.)

There were 3 Orders for Commissions of Lunacy in 1871 as against 6 in 1870, and the number of lunatics under the care of the Court at the close of 1871 was 155, being 1 more than on 1st November, 1870.

The non-extension to Ireland of the reforms contained in the Lunacy Regulation Acts, 1853 and 1862, which had been observed upon in preceding volumes, was terminated by Lord O'Hagan's Lunacy (Ireland) Act, 1871, Stat 34 Vic., c 22, and the General Orders in Lunacy of 12th July, 1871, founded thereon. The new Act and Orders were in operation for only a portion of the year, and had not much effect on the main business of the office in 1871.

The chief business in the Lunacy Office in 1871 compared with 1870 was as follows:—

LUNACY OFFICE	1871	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Orders of the Lord Chancellor,	191	206	—	17
Affidavits filed,	232	259	—	27
Reports of Masters,	58	58	—	—
Accounts taken by Masters,	81	84	—	3
Amounts of receipts on such accounts,	£ 73,131	£ 81,721	—	£ 8,590

This summary indicates a decrease in the amount of property administered in 1871, and in the orders and affidavits. There was, however, an increase of business during

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the latter half of the year, arising from the 400 returns from Petty Sessions Clerks as to dangerous lunatics, 33 from keepers of private Lunatic Asylums, 88 from Inspectors of Lunatic Asylums, and 19 from Resident Medical Superintendents.

Clerk of Records and Writs. (Table, No. 5.)

The following table contains a general summary for 1871 of the proceedings in the Record and Writ Office. This office was first established in Ireland by the Chancery (Ireland) Regulation Act, 1867.

RECORD AND WRIT OFFICE.	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Proceedings in Suits by Bills or Information,	2,403	2,473	–	71
" " by Summons,	468	405	63	–
" " in Special Cases,	–	20	–	20
General Proceedings,	7,259	6,374	885	–
Proceedings in Notice Department,	15,809	18,328	–	2,519
" in Recognizance Department,	4,289	218	4,071	–
Total,	30,227	27,818	2,409	–
Fees collected in the Office by Stamps, about	£6,653	£3,636	–	£1,983

The above figures show a considerable increase in the amount of business transacted in this office in 1871 as compared with 1870. In the following summary some particulars are given of the proceedings in the different classes of suits, which are, however, included in the preceding figures.

Proceedings in Suits.

The following table shows the proceedings in suits :—

PROCEEDINGS IN SUITS.	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Suits Instituted :—				
Bills or informations filed,	365	394	–	29
Special cases filed,	–	–	–	–
Administration summonses filed,	117	105	12	–
Other originating summonses,	–	3	–	3
Proceedings in Suits by bills or informations :—				
Copies of bills or informations sealed for service,	1,095	892	203	–
Answers filed,	297	300	–	3
Replications filed,	31	41	–	10
Interrogatories filed,	161	139	22	–

The total number of bills or informations filed in 1871 was 365. Of these 35 were in the Lord Chancellor's Court, 164 in the Court of the Master of the Rolls, and 166 in the Court of the Vice-Chancellor. Of the whole number 227 were under the full scale of fees and 138 under other scales.

Writs issued.

The following table shows the number of writs issued during the year, as given in the return under the head of "General Proceedings." The numbers are compared with those returned for 1870 :—

WRITS IN CHANCERY.	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Writs of subpœna,	95	72	23	–
" attachment,	102	49	53	–
" scire facias,	–	–	–	–
" injunction,	32	5	27	–
" fieri facias,	13	24	–	11
" partition,	–	1	–	1
" error,	1	–	1	–
" conditional exponas,	1	–	1	–

The above figures show a considerable increase in the number of writs issued in 1871, as compared with 1870.

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There is a department of this office, peculiar to the Irish Court of Chancery, called "The Notice Department," through which all notices are served, instead of service being proved by affidavit. The number of persons served through this department was 15,809 in 1871, as compared with 18,328 in 1870.

The number of affidavits filed was 6,900, as compared with 4,910 in 1870, showing an increase of 1,990.

In the Recognizance Department the number of recognizances filed was 71, as compared with 89 in 1870.

The amount of receipts and disbursements on accounts filed was not returned for 1871 or 1870. The receipts for 1869 were £903,290, and disbursements, £741,828.

Official Liquidators (Table, No. 8.)

Under the Joint Stock Companies Winding-up Acts there are 15 cases returned as in the Court of Chancery in 1871, viz.:—Dublin Joint Stock Society; East Holyford Mining Company; River Fergus Navigation Company, Cork Clay Works Company; Tontine Building Company, Richmond-place, East, Limerick, the Tontine Building Company, Richmond-place, West, Limerick; the Waterford, Lismore, and Fermoy Railway Company; the Ballyshannon Gas Company; the Boston Lime Company; the Ulster Catholic Publishing Company; Etna Insurance Company; Aughnacloy Flax Spinning Company, United Kingdom Screw Collier Company; Dublin and Baltinglass Railway Company; Amicable and Mutual Life Association Society. Returns have been made by the Official Liquidators in all the above cases except three, and it appears that the total receipts were £3,705 12*s.* 2*d.*, and the total disbursements were £443 15*s.* 8*d.*, leaving the sum of £3,261 16*s.* 6*d.* available for future distribution.

Masters' Offices. (Table, No. 9.)

The following summary shows the business in the offices of the Masters in Chancery, exclusive of cause petitions under the 15th section of the Irish Chancery Regulation Act of 1850. One of these officers died during the year 1870, and as it was provided by the 27th section of the Chancery (Ireland) Act, 1867, that the office of Master in Chancery (that of the Receiver Master excepted) should be abolished after the death of the then existing officers, no new appointment has been made, and the business pending in the office has been transferred to the offices of the surviving Masters.

Masters' Offices.	Two Masters	Receiver Master	Total, 1871	Total, 1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Charges,	53	6	59	56	3	–
Discharges,	40	5	45	49	–	4
Accounts passed in minor matters,	31	144	175	172	3	–
" " in lunacy matters,	34	44	78	77	1	–
" " by other Receivers,	39	251	290	288	2	–
Other accounts,						
Orders on special motions,	370	83	453	404	49	–
Orders on motions of counsel,						
Sales of estates under order of Court,	2	–	2	2	–	–
Statements of facts as to management of property,	60	119	179	179	–	–
References pending at end of year,	234	–	234	351	–	117

These figures show an increase in the amount of business transacted in 1871 as compared with 1870 in the Masters' offices. The number of charges filed was 59 against 56 in 1870. From the return it appears that there is a large amount of property under

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the superintendence of the Court of Chancery, the number of accounts passed other than in Minor and Lunacy matters being 290. There were 179 statements with regard to the management of property made in 1871, against an equal number in 1870.

The following is a summary of the returns made by the Taxing Masters, showing the business transacted in their offices in 1871, compared with 1870 — Chancery Taxing Office. (Table, No 10.)

Chancery Taxing Office.	1871	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Number of bills taxed,	1,136	1,283	–	147
Number of items,	167,726	195,951	–	28,225
Number of certificates,	1,136	1,283	–	147
Amount of Chancery Fund on summons and certificate,	£ s d 2,125 13 0	£ s d 2,137 13 0	£ s d –	£ s d 12 0 0
Amount of costs claimed,	91,020 19 11	94,351 2 4	–	3,330 2 5
Amount of costs allowed,	76,506 1 9	70,427 3 0	6,078 18 9	–

These figures show a large decrease under each of the heads indicated, except in the amount of costs allowed, in which there was an increase of £6,078.

In the Examiner's Office witnesses were examined in 15 causes in 1871. The total number of persons examined was 57, against 58 in the preceding year. Examiner's Office. (Table, No 11.)

The Incumbered Estates Court was established in Ireland in 1849, for the purpose of effecting the sale of landed property subject to incumbrances, and of giving the purchaser a parliamentary title to prevent past incumbrances complicating the future title. It was at first intended that this Court should exist only for a limited time, but it was found necessary, more than once, to renew its jurisdiction, and, at length, it was finally established in 1858 with the title of the Landed Estates Court, with power to sell unincumbered as well as incumbered property. *Landed Estates Court*

The following figures show the value and net rental of the estates sold in 1871 :— Registrar's Office (Table, No. 1.) Sales.

	1871	1870	Increase 1871	Decrease, 1871
Amount of purchase-money,	£1,008,524	£757,218	£251,306	–
Net rental of estates sold,	£53,754	£46,269	£7,485	–
Number of sales,	200	201	–	1

In connexion with the fears which were expressed as to the effect of the Irish Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870, in discouraging sales in the Landed Estates Court, it is important to observe that the amount of property sold increased from a rental of £46,269 to £53,754, showing an increase of £7,485 yearly rental, the amount in 1870 being 12 per cent. less. The prices realized are still more satisfactory; for while the purchase-money in 1870 produced only £757,218, the purchase-money in 1871 realized £1,008,524, or £251,306 more, the amount in the previous year being 25 per cent. less; 13 per cent. of this increase arose from a rise in price from 16½ average years' purchase in 1870 to 18⅝ years' purchase in 1871, or of 13 per cent. in the rate of purchase, and raising the price above the number of years' purchase in 1869 (17¼ years) and in 1868 (18⅓ years), and the average of five years ended 1867 (17½ years)—a very satisfactory result of the first complete year after the passing of the Land Act.

Out of 352 petitions for sale of estates in 1871, there were 321, or 91 per cent, for the sale of incumbered estates, showing the extent to which the original necessity which led to the Court being established still continues in operation.

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PART II. JUDICIAL STATISTICS.

Landed Estates Court

Declaration of Title, Partitions, Exchanges, &c (Table, No. 1)

In the other branches of jurisdiction as to estates, the proceedings were as follows —

LANDED ESTATES COURT.	Declaration of Title	Partitions.	Exchanges	Specific Performance of Contracts of Sale	Apportionments of Rent
1871,	8	12	–	7	–
1870,	11	2	–	2	–
Increase in 1871,	–	10	–	5	–
Decrease in 1871,	3	–	–	–	–

These figures show an increase under all the heads indicated, except declaration of title, in which there was a decrease of 3.

Tenure and Improvement of land

Under the Tenure and Improvement of Land (Ireland) Act, 1860, the Landed Estates Court exercises the jurisdiction of sanctioning building leases, and leases not within the exact terms of the Act or settlement of the particular estate. There were 3 building leases sanctioned in 1871, in the previous year there had been 5

Record and Affidavit Office. (Table, No 2)

There were 391 petitions filed in the Record and Affidavit Office in 1871, against 380 in 1870. The number of affidavits filed was 4,468 in the Landed Estates Court, and the number filed in the Record and Writ Office of the Court of Chancery was 6,900

Taxing Office. (Table, No 3.)

In the Taxing Office the amount taxed and certified in the year ended 31st July, 1871, was £36,281 19*s* 11*d*, against £36,679 2*s* 4*d* in the preceding year

Record of Title Office. (Table, No 5)

In the Record of Title Office the titles to 42 estates were recorded in 1871. Of these, 19 were less than £1,000 in value; 19 were valued above £1,000 and under £10,000, and 4 were estimated at £10,000 and upwards. The total sum paid for these estates, as stated in the deeds of conveyance, was £165,730, and the mortgages and charges recorded amounted to £24,450 The total number of estates, the titles to which have been recorded in this office since the date of its establishment in 1865, under Stat. 28 & 29 Vict., c 88, sec. 67, is 493, the total value of which is stated to be £1,715,870; the mortgages and charges recorded amount to £177,343 19*s* 10*d*. As the record of title is limited to cases of absolute title, the benefit of the machinery thus provided is lost in the cases where it would be most appreciated, and where it is most wanted—that of marketable titles, which after a lapse of time will become perfect. Again, to suit cases like the 19 of the value of less than £1,000, a system of optional local registry, on the principle that wills and marriages are locally registered, with central check registry, would be advantageous

Court of Probate.

The jurisdiction of the Court of Probate in Ireland is similar to that of the English Court.

Principal Registry

The following is a summary of the business of the Court and the Principal Registry :—

COURT OF PROBATE—PRINCIPAL REGISTRY.	1871.	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Probates and administrations with wills annexed,	1,106	1,166	–	60
Administrations without wills,	667	616	51	–
Total probates and administrations,	1,773	1,782	–	9
Caveats,	580	545	35	–
Causes,	127	131	–	4
Trials by special jury,	19	17	2	–
Trials by common jury,	14	17	–	3
Causes heard by Judge,	25	30	–	5
Motions,	250	254	–	4
Petitions,	–	4	–	4
	£	£	£	£
Total amount of fees received,	9,439	9,504	–	65
Total amount of taxed costs,	28,941	17,152	11,789	–

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In the District Registries of the Court of Probate the chief business in 1871 and 1870 was as follows :—

Court of Probate—District Registries.	1871	1870.	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Granted in Common Form :				
Probates,	1,055	946	109	–
Letters of administration,	642	604	38	–
Letters of administration with the will annexed,	160	173	–	13
Granted under direction of Judge :				
Probates,	7	9	–	2
Letters of administration,	11	5	6	–
Letters of administration with the will annexed,	6	5	1	–
Granted on Decrees of Chairmen of Counties :				
Probates,	1	2	–	1
Letters of administration,	1	–	1	–
Letters of administration with the will annexed,	2	–	2	–
Total,	1,885	1,744	141	–
Total amount of fees received,	£ s. d. 6,772 17 3	£ s. d. 6,043 9 6	£ s. d. 729 7 9	–

It appears from these tables that there was a considerable increase in probates and letters of administration in the District Registries—of from 1,744 in 1870 to 1,885 in 1871, or an increase of 141, whilst the decrease in the Principal Registry was only 9—from 1,782 in 1870 to 1,773 in 1871. The change indicates the same tendency as in the business of the Common Law Courts, to an increase of local and diminution of central administration of legal business. The very small amount of contentious business—only 58 trials in relation to 1,773 probates and administrations in the Central Registry, and only 28 in relation to 1,885 probates and administrations in the Local Registry—indicates the satisfactory working of the law of wills and the probate jurisdiction for the class of cases that fall within their scope.

Accountant-General's Office

The Accountant-General of the Court of Chancery is also Accountant-General of the Court of Probate His return states that there were only 3 accounts open on the 1st October, 1871, and that the total amount of cash and other effects carried over in the books was £2,140 16*s*.

From a return received from the Comptroller of Stamp Duties, it appears that the amount of property under which probates and administrations were sworn in 1871 was £4,129,096, and the amount of duty received thereon was £76,084.

Since 1st January, 1871, the jurisdiction as to matrimonial causes and matters has been transferred to the Court of Probate. A return of proceedings has been received for 1871, and also of proceedings under the Legitimacy Declaration Act (Ireland), 1868 It appears that there were 12 petitions filed in matrimonial causes and matters during the year; 8 citations were issued, 5 appearances entered, and 2 answers filed There were 3 decrees for divorce *a mensâ et thoro*, and 1 decree for restitution of conjugal rights. There were 14 motions during the year.

The jurisdiction as to divorce in Ireland is still founded on the precedent of the Ecclesiastical Courts, and corresponds to that which existed in England before the Divorce Court was established in 1857; so that the action for criminal conversation still continues distinct from the proceedings for a divorce, and a complete divorce in Ireland still requires a private Act of Parliament.

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High Court of Admiralty.

The practice and procedure of the High Court of Admiralty in Ireland was assimilated to that of the High Court of Admiralty in England in 1867 by Stat 30 & 31 Vict., c. 114 The Irish Court was not, however, given any jurisdiction in prize cases.

In 1869 the power of conferring admiralty jurisdiction upon County Courts in England, by order in Council, under Stat 31 & 32 Vict., c 71, was followed by an important extension of the jurisdiction of such Courts to certain maritime causes, including a large part of the disputes as to freight and demurrage in which foreign traders are so much interested. The former of these enactments was already provided for in Ireland by the fourth part of the Act of 1867, but the latter (Stat. 32 & 33 Vict., c. 51,) has created a substantial difference between Irish and English jurisdiction in maritime causes.

The following summary gives the number and nature of the causes before the High Court of Admiralty during 1871 and those for the previous year, for comparison —

Nature of Causes.	Actions Instituted during Years		Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
	1871	1870		
Salvage,	7	6	1	–
Damage by collision,	10	12	–	2
Bottomry,	4	6	–	2
Actions for necessaries supplied,	12	11	1	–
Towage,	–	–	–	–
Wages (seamen),	2	3	–	1
Wages (Masters) and disbursements,	3	2	1	–
Damage to cargo,	1	–	1	–
Ownership,	–	1	–	1
Other causes,	9	5	4	–
Total,	48	46	2	–

It will be seen that there has been an increase of 2 in the number of actions instituted in 1871 as compared with the number in 1870.

The following summary shows the proceedings during 1871 compared with those in 1870 :—

Proceedings in Admiralty Cases.	1871	1870	Increase 1871.	Decrease, 1871
Motions and Summonses,	118	65	53	–
Judgments and Decrees,	18	11	7	–
Instruments prepared in Registry,	113	117	–	4
Total,	249	193	56	–

These figures show an increase of 56 in proceedings in Admiralty in 1871 as compared with 1870.

Ecclesiastical Courts.

The Act for the disestablishment of the Church in Ireland which came into operation on the 1st January, 1871, abolished the Ecclesiastical Courts, statistics with regard to the business transacted in which have been included in previous volumes

Bankruptcy and Insolvency.

Bankruptcy

The law of Bankruptcy in Ireland in 1871 differed from that in England, being regulated by the Irish Bankrupt and Insolvent Act, passed in 1857. Since that year alterations have been twice made in the law of Bankruptcy in England—in 1861 and 1869. The reform in the Bankruptcy law of Ireland, so long delayed, has been carried out by the legislation of the present Session,* which extends, with some appropriate modifications, the principles of the English Bankruptcy Act to Ireland.

* Bankruptcy (Ireland) Amendment Act, 1872

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The Chief Registrar has made a return as to the proceedings in Bankruptcy in 1871, of which the following is a summary :—

Bankruptcy

Proceedings in Bankruptcy	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Petitions for adjudication of Bankruptcy—				
By creditors,	113	117	–	4
By traders against themselves,	70	70	–	–
Number of such petitions dismissed,	13	15	–	2
Trader Debtor Summonses,	113	114	–	1
Other Summonses,	368	213	155	–
Sittings before the Court,	3,017	2,820	197	–
Sittings before the Chief Registrar,	1,219	1,082	137	–
Petitions presented under Arrangement Clauses,	164	146	18	–
Petitions for private arrangement under control of the Court upon which adjudications of Bankruptcy were made,	22	25	–	3
Total number of persons declared bankrupt, whether trading singly or in partnership,	170	172	–	2

It appears that the number of cases of Bankruptcy in 1871 was smaller than in 1870, the number of cases in which petitions were presented in the former year having been 183. against 187 in the latter. The petitions for private arrangement under the Court also show a decrease, being 22 in 1871 against 25 in 1870. The number of persons declared bankrupt was 170.

The return also states the amount claimed in bills of costs in proceedings in Bankruptcy to have been £15,693. From this sum £2,791 was deducted in taxation, leaving £12,902 as the amount certified.

Insolvency.

The delay in extending to Ireland the principle of abolition of imprisonment for debt, which was adopted in England and Wales in 1869, (32 & 33 Vic., c 83,) has also been terminated by the Debtors (Ireland) Act of the present session. The Insolvency jurisdiction will thus be abolished from 1st of January, 1873.

The proceedings for 1871 and 1870 under the jurisdiction that will thus be terminated, are compared in the following summary :—

Proceedings in Insolvency	1871.	1870.	Increase, 1871.	Decrease, 1871.
Petitions of Insolvency filed by prisoners in gaols in the city and county of Dublin, and heard before the Court in Dublin,	134	146	–	12
„ by prisoners in county gaols, and heard before Chairmen of counties,	359	346	13	–
Total of petitions of Insolvency lodged,	493	492	1	–
Petitions in which prisoners were admitted to bail before hearing,	305	310	–	5
„ in which official assignees were appointed to act,	117	96	21	–
„ in which creditors' assignees were chosen,	48	37	11	–
„ in which dividends were declared,	79	98	–	19
Sittings before the Court in Dublin for all purposes in Insolvency,	697	822	–	125
„ before the Chief Clerk,	620	552	68	–
Bills of costs taxed by the Chief Clerk,	83	75	8	–
Number of solicitors who entered their licences to practise in the Court,	818	795	23	–

It appears there was an increase of 1 in the number of petitions of Insolvency in 1871, as compared with 1870, the numbers being respectively 493 and 492. Of the 493 cases in which petitions were filed there were dividends declared in 79 cases, the average amount of which the return states to have been 2*s.* 5*d.* in the pound.

The number of bills of costs taxed by the Chief Clerk in Insolvency was 83, and the total amount claimed was £1,831 2*s.* 8*d.* From this £260 7*s.* 1*d.* was deducted in taxation, leaving £1,570 15*s.* 7*d* as the amount certified.

Under the Irish Bankrupt and Insolvent Act, 1857, (Stat 20 & 21 Vict , c. 60, s. 407,)

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Bankruptcy and Insolvency.

Insolvency.

the Accountant-General of the Court of Chancery in Ireland was appointed Accountant-General in Bankruptcy and in Insolvency; but hitherto no account has been open, nor have any funds of the suitors of the Court been standing to his credit

The following sums were standing to the credit of the Chief Clerk in Insolvency, as appears from his return:—

	Cash £	s.	d.	Stock. £	s.	d.
To credit of unclaimed dividend account,	3,973	16	5½	22,000	0	0
To credit of matters in Insolvency,	303	12	6			
Total 31st December, 1871,	4,276	8	11½	22,000	0	0
Total 31st December, 1870,	4,271	11	11½	20,964	16	3
Increase in 1871,	4	17	0	1,035	3	9

A table has been compiled from the unpublished returns of the Official Assignees to Parliament under the Irish Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act, 1857, showing the state of the bankruptcies and insolvencies in the charge of each of the Official Assignees in 1871.

Supreme Courts of Appeal

The officers of the Supreme Courts of Appeal for Ireland have furnished returns with respect to the business which came before the Courts in 1871. Two of these are *nil* returns, as it appears there were no Admiralty appeals during the year to Her Majesty in Council, (Table No. 1, p. 225,) nor was there any business brought before the High Court of Delegates

House of Lords

The number of appeals from Ireland to the House of Lords in 1871 was 8, viz.:— 6 from the Chancery Appeal Court, and 2 from the Exchequer Chamber. One case was withdrawn, in 5 cases judgments were delivered, and 3 decrees of the Chancery Appeal Court and 2 judgments of the Exchequer Chamber were confirmed. The number of causes which remain effective for hearing, including those from previous Sessions, was only 4, as compared with 7 at the end of 1870.

Privy Council, Ireland

The Privy Council in Ireland hears applications for the prohibition of burials in grounds where their continuance is alleged to be injurious, and appeals against Fishery by-laws. There was no business in 1871.

Chancery Appeal Court

The number of appeals to the Chancery Appeal Court in 1871 and 1870, are shown in the following table —

Appeals to Chancery Appeal Court.	1871.	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871.
Set down for argument,	42	38	4	–
Appeals from—				
Lord Chancellor,	3	1	2	–
Master of the Rolls,	5	5	–	–
Vice Chancellor,	14	13	1	–
Judges of Landed Estates Court:				
Judge Dobbs (the late),	–	2	–	2
Judge Lynch,	9	9	–	–
Judge Flanagan,	10	6	4	–
Judge of Court of Probate,	–	–	–	–
Judges in Bankruptcy and Insolvency:				
Judge Miller,	–	–	–	–
Judge Harrison,	–	1	–	1
Judge of Admiralty Court,	1	1	–	–

There was an increase in the business of the Court of 4 appeals—from 38 in 1870 to 42 in 1871.

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In the Court of Exchequer Chamber there were 8 memoranda of error and notices of appeal lodged in 1871, viz.:—3 from the Queen's Bench, 3 from the Common Pleas, and 2 from the Exchequer. There were besides 6 remanets from 1870. Twelve cases were disposed of and 2 stand for judgment.

Exchequer Chamber.

The return from the Exchequer Chamber shows no registry appeals under the Irish Parliamentary Voters Act (Stat. 13 & 14 Vict., c. 69,) in 1871. There were 6 lodged in 1870.

Registry Appeals.

New tables have been introduced into the statistics of the Courts of Chairmen of Counties and Recorders to account for the business at Land Sessions.

Courts of Chairmen of Counties and Recorders.

The Landlord and Tenant Act, passed in 1870, came into practical operation for a very short period of that year, and the proceedings are included with those for 1871.

Land Sessions.

Very complete statistics from all the counties have been obtained of the number of distinct cases and the results of the proceedings.

Cases disposed of at Land Sessions.	Number.	Per cent.
Total number of cases,	526	100
Decrees,	197	37
Withdrawn and settled,	141	27
Dismisses,	95	18
Postponed and adjourned,	74	14
Ruled "nil" and not heard,	16	3
Referred to arbitration,	3	1
Total appeals to Judge of Assize,	52	–
Total appeals heard,	33	100
Judgments affirmed,	13	39
„ varied,	13	39
„ reversed,	4	12
„ held over,	3	9
Total appeals to Court of Land Cases Reserved,	2	–
Appeal heard,	1	–
Judgment affirmed,	1	–

It appears from this table that of the entire number of cases (526) the decrees were 197, or 37 per cent. of the proceedings; the dismisses 95, or 18 per cent., making 55 per cent. of the proceedings disposed of by decision in Court. A large proportion, 27 per cent., of the cases were withdrawn and settled, 14 per cent. postponed, and less than 1 per cent. referred to arbitration.

There were against 292 decrees and dismisses of Chairmen of Counties only 52 appeals lodged; of these only 33 were heard; in 4 cases the appeals were reversed, in 13 they were varied and in 13 affirmed, and in 3 cases the judgments have been held over. In the Court of Land Cases Reserved there were only 2 appeals, of which one was heard and the judgment affirmed.

The returns as to other proceedings at Land Sessions are not so complete—7 jurisdictions out of 36, or about one-fifth, having omitted to make returns.

There are, so far as returned, 4 cases of applications by tenants to confirm the granting of leases. Two leases were confirmed, and in 1 case the Court refused to confirm.

There was 1 notice by a tenant of intention to register improvements, and no notice by landlord.

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There were 3 awards on arbitration recorded, and 1 rejected by the Court.

In the following table the number of cases disposed of in each province and each county is shown, and for the purpose of comparing the relative amount of litigation in each county and province, the number of agricultural holdings held by yearly tenants in 1870 is added —

Proceedings in Cases under the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act in part of 1870 and in 1871.

Counties.	Number of Cases compared with number of Yearly Tenancies.				Result of Proceedings					
	Cases	Number of Thousands of Agricultural Holdings at Yearly Tenancies.	Number of cases less than average of Ireland.	Number of cases above average of Ireland.	Decrees.	Withdrawn and settled	Dismissed.	Postponed and Adjourned.	Ruled "Nil" not heard.	Referred to Arbitration.
Ulster										
Antrim,	52	13	–	34	27	12	7	6	–	–
Armagh,	41	27	–	14	11	8	5	17	–	–
Cavan,	5	21	16	–	5	–	–	–	–	–
Donegal,	21	34	13	–	8	9	4	–	–	–
Down,	24	29	5	–	10	5	3	6	–	–
Fermanagh,	39	14	–	25	10	14	5	10	–	–
Londonderry,	51	16	–	35	29	17	4	–	–	1
Monaghan,	3	19	16	–	3	–	–	–	–	–
Tyrone,	51	28	–	23	20	9	4	1	15	2
Total of Ulster,	287	296	–	81	123	74	32	40	15	3
Munster										
Clare,	5	15	10	–	2	3	–	–	–	
Cork, E.R.,	63	23	–	40	17	23	18	5	–	[7]
Cork, W.R.,										
Cork City,										
Kerry,	6	16	10	–	2	1	3	–	–	–
Limerick,	12	11	–	1	2	5	–	5	–	–
Tipperary,	19	20	1	–	2	3	8	6	–	–
Waterford,	18	8	–	10	5	1	2	9	1	–
Total of Munster,	123	93	–	30	30	36	31	25	1	–
Leinster										
Carlow,	8	4	–	4	1	3	3	1	–	–
Dublin,	5	4	–	1	1	–	1	3	–	–
Dublin City,										
Kildare,	10	7	–	3	4	4	2	–	–	–
Kilkenny,	2	14	12	–	1	–	–	1	–	–
King's,	–	11	11	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Longford,	1	7	6	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Louth,	2	7	5	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
Meath,	3	9	6	–	1	2	–	–	–	–
Queen's,	12	10	–	2	2	4	6	–	–	–
Westmeath,	6	9	3	–	2	3	–	1	–	–
Wexford,	5	11	6	–	5	–	–	–	–	–
Wicklow,	6	7	1	–	4	–	2	–	–	–
Total of Leinster,	60	100	40	–	21	16	17	6	–	–
Connaught										
Galway,*	11	38	27	–	5	1	5	–	–	–
Leitrim,	14	16	2	–	4	7	3	–	–	–
Mayo,	18	37	19	–	7	3	5	3	–	–
Roscommon,	8	21	13	–	2	4	2	–	–	–
Sligo,	5	15	10	–	5	–	–	–	–	–
Total of Connaught,	56	127	71	–	23	15	15	3	–	–
Total of Ireland,	526	526	–	–	197	141	95	74	16	3

It appears from this table that assuming agricultural holdings at yearly tenancies in 1870 as an approximate estimate of the number of holdings subject to the Act in

* Town included.

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each county, there were 526 cases as compared with 526,000 holdings, or 1 in every 1,000 holdings on an average In Connaught the cases were 71 below the average of Ireland; in Leinster, 40 below the average; in Munster 30 above the average, and in Ulster 81 above the average. The 5 counties most above average were—Cork, 40; Londonderry, 35, Antrim, 34; Fermanagh, 25; and Tyrone, 23 The 4 counties where there was the least resort to the Land Courts were—King's County, no case; Longford, 1, Louth and Kilkenny, 2 each; and Monaghan and Meath, 3 each.

Taking the proceedings in the order of importance—upon the 37 per cent. of cases in which there were decrees, the total amount adjudged on the decrees was £13,663 11*s.* 5*d.*; deducting the amount allowed for set-off, objection, or default of tenant, £2,207 1*s*, the net amount awarded was £11,456 10*s.* 5*d.* This does not include a claim to register £8,166 for improvements, as it was held that, whilst the improvements should be registered, no value should be stated.

The claims disposed of in this way included claims in the alternative under tenant-right usages, or for compensation for improvements and disturbance; and the aggregate amount in the original claims disposed of by decrees was £42,094 2*s.* 9*d.*, the aggregate disposed of by dismisses was £19,609 2*s.* 4*d.*; leaving a balance of claims, for cases withdrawn or settled, postponed or adjourned, of £80,604 7*s.* 11*d*

Assuming that the claims withdrawn, settled, and postponed, realized the same amount of direct protection to tenants as those disposed of by decree or dismiss, the amount corresponding to the £80,604 of claims would be about £15,000, making the direct protection to tenants by all the cases, without including registration of improvements, estimated on the basis of the net amount decreed, as about £26,500.

Taking the gross amount decreed, £13,664, without deducting the set-off of £2,207 allowed to landlords, we get the following distribution of the amount in the different provinces.—

	Gross Amount of Decrees	Number of Decrees.	Average Sum adjudged in each case
	£		£
Total of Ireland,	13,664	197	69
Ulster,	9,956	123	81
Munster,	1,930	30	64
Leinster,	1,022	21	49
Connaught,	756	23	33

It appears from this table that the average gross amount awarded, without deducting allowances for set-off to landlord, for dilapidation, rent, &c., was in all Ireland £69. In Ulster it reached £81, in Munster it was £64, in Leinster £49, and in Connaught £33

It appears from these figures that, except a rare case of a claim to register improvements, the holdings in respect of which cases have been decided by Land Sessions are of a very small class

The somewhat higher amount in Ulster arises from the tenants' claims being larger, on account of the comparatively greater security they had enjoyed before the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870, under the Ulster custom. The comparatively greater number of cases in Ulster arises from the frequency of transfers of tenancy that always prevails under the custom, and from the tenants' claims under it, necessarily giving rise to some litigation, until the characteristics of the custom, with the slight local variations, are completely transformed by decided cases, from usages resting on good-will and public opinion, to usages that can be enforced in the Land Courts.

The next most important figures are those indicating the proportion of proceedings under the different grounds of compensation recognised by the Act.

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Classifying the claims and counting alternative or duplicate claims, they are in the following proportions:—

	Per cent.
For Loss on quitting holding,	47
„ Improvement,	34
„ Ulster Tenant-right, or similar usage,	18
„ Incoming payments,	1

The claims for Ulster tenant-right were necessarily confined to Ulster alone; and the only counties outside Ulster in which claims for usage similar to Ulster custom were made, were Tipperary and Roscommon, and only 1 claim in each county.

The amount of compensation adjudged, under each ground of compensation, is shown in the following table:—

Classification of Gross Amount adjudged in Decrees at Land Sessions.	Amount.	Per cent
	£	
Total gross sum adjudged,	13,664	100
For Loss on quitting holding and Improvements together,	5,621	41
„ Ulster Tenant-right,	4,558	33
„ Loss on quitting holding alone,	1,908	14
„ Improvements alone,	1,577	12

Taking the province of Ulster alone, the sum adjudged was distributed in these proportions:—

Classification of Gross Amount decreed in Ulster.	Amount.	Per cent.
	£	
Total gross sum adjudged,	9,956	100
For Ulster Tenant-right,	4,558	46
„ Loss on quitting holding and Improvements together,	3,582	36
„ Loss on quitting holding alone,	1,389	14
„ Improvements alone,	427	4

It appears from these figures that nearly half the sum (46 per cent.) adjudged in Ulster, was under the Ulster tenant-right custom.

From the small average amount adjudged in Ireland (£69) the great majority of the cases appear to have been amongst the classes entitled to compensation for loss on quitting holding, and entitled at a high scale. On this point complete returns have not been furnished by all the county officers; but from the particulars of 87 cases returned, it appears that 40 of the claims were for above five years' rent and not exceeding seven years', and 24 were above four and not exceeding five years' rent; and of the particulars as to 45 cases in which compensation for loss on quitting holding was allowed, 12 were cases above five years' and not exceeding seven years' rent, and 12 were cases above four years' and not exceeding five years' rent. So that both in the claims and in what was allowed, more than half the cases accounted for fall within those entitled to four years' rent and upwards as compensation for loss on quitting holding.

Proceedings for the sale of land to tenants, under Part II. of the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870, take place in the Landed Estates Court, as it appears that there were 3 statements lodged in 1871 under this part of the Act.

The next table of the Courts of Chairmen of Counties connected with land shows the number and nature of the proceedings between landlord and tenant, other than under the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870, which were actually brought into Court.

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The following is a summary of the returns set out in the table :—

Courts of Chairmen and Recorders—Ejectments and Proceedings as to Land other than those under the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870	Number in 1871	Number in 1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Cases entered,	4,291	3,869	422	–
Judgments for Plaintiff				
Decrees, other than by consent,	2,669	2,391	278	–
Decrees by consent,	140	135	5	–
Judgments for Defendant,	417	419	–	2
Remaining over,	147	121	26	–
Otherwise disposed of,	918	803	115	–
Number of cases in which Decrees for rent,	1,965	1,552	413	–
Ejectments on Title, &c.,	844	974	–	130
Number of cases in which, after Decree, proceedings were stopped by payment of rent (23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 63),	1	3	–	2
Decrees obtained by Plaintiff :				
Amount of debts, exclusive of costs,	£46,561	£37,558	£9,003	–
Amount of costs, exclusive of stamps,	£5,332	£4,521	£811	–

It appears from this table that there were 1,965 decrees in ejectment cases for rent, showing an increase of 413 on the number in 1870; whilst in ejectments on the title there was a diminution, from 974 to 844 These results of the proceedings explain the increase of 422 in the total number of cases, and also the increase of £9,003 in the amount recovered on decrees.

Result of Civil Bill proceedings.

The following summary shows the result of civil bill proceedings other than ejectments —

Courts of Chairmen of Counties and Recorders—Proceedings other than Ejectments, other than Causes remitted from Superior Courts	1871	1870	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Number of Civil Bills entered,	75,578	73,117	2,461	–
Causes defended,	25,419	22,213	3,206	–
Cases heard with a Jury,	133	130	3	–
Judgments for Plaintiff —				
Decrees, other than by consent,	41,046	39,684	2,362	–
Decrees by consent,	2,060	2,015	45	–
Judgments for Defendant —				
Dismiss without prejudice,	5,024	4,728	296	–
Dismiss on the merits,	3,300	3,423	–	123
Remaining over,	1,164	689	475	–
Otherwise disposed of,	22,984	22,578	406	–
Number of cases in which the sums stated in the decrees to be due were —				
40*s.* and under,	12,596	11,993	603	–
£5, and above 40*s.*,	13,339	13,029	310	–
£10, and above £5,	8,848	9,090	–	242
£20, and above £10,	6,834	6,237	597	–
£40, and above £20,	1,385	1,246	139	–
Over £40,	104	104	–	–
Amount of debts exclusively,	£223,759	£182,401	£41,358	–
Amount of costs, exclusive of stamps,	£22,791	£11,178	£11,613	–
Probate and administration cases heard,	40	36	4	–
Insolvent petitions heard,	305	317	–	12

This table shows an increase in nearly all the items of civil business other than land cases coming before the Courts of Chairmen of Counties. The increase in the number of cases was 2,461, and in the amount recovered was £41,358.

Civil Bill processes served.

In addition to the returns of Civil Bill Proceedings, returns have been obtained from the Process Servers, who are appointed under statute by the Chairmen, and whose salary is annually voted by Parliament. Out of the entire number of Process Servers (805) all but 25, or 3 per cent., have made returns. As they have the exclusive

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Number of Civil Bill processes served compared with population in Counties, &c.

privilege of serving Civil Bills other than ejectments, their returns—with an estimate for deficient returns—affords a basis of comparing, as in the land cases, the relative amount of ordinary civil business arising in each county. From these, the population has been taken as measure of the business, and a column added showing the number of Civil Bill processes that would have been served if the average amount, in proportion to population for all Ireland, had been served in each jurisdiction.

Courts of Chairmen of Counties with Recorders' Courts included	Number of Civil Bills (other than Ejectments and Replevin) served	Number in proportion to population for average number served in Ireland	Number of Processes served less than average of Ireland to population.	Number of Processes served greater than average of Ireland to population
Leinster.				
Carlow,	3,045	2,403	–	642
Dublin,	5,954	18,535	12,581	–
Kildare,	1,166	3,835	2,669	–
Kilkenny,	5,883	4,976	–	907
King's County,	2,503	3,469	966	–
Longford,	2,124	2,923	798	–
Louth,	1,929	3,839	1,906	–
Meath,	1,483	4,468	2,985	–
Queen's,	5,300	3,514	–	1,786
Westmeath,	1,419	3,561	2,142	–
Wexford,	5,697	6,059	362	–
Wicklow,	996	3,606	2,610	–
	37,499	61,183	23,684	–
Munster.				
Clare,	6,814	7,771	957	–
Cork,	16,333	23,510	7,177	–
Kerry,	13,851	8,947	–	4,904
Limerick,	9,086	6,969	–	2,117
Tipperary,	13,354	9,860	–	3,494
Waterford,	3,684	5,615	1,931	–
	63,122	62,672	–	450
Ulster.				
Antrim,	22,058	19,127	–	2,931
Armagh,	15,383	8,171	–	7,212
Cavan,	6,284	6,209	–	75
Donegal,	10,847	9,952	–	895
Down,	16,814	12,691	–	4,123
Fermanagh,	3,401	4,245	844	–
Londonderry,	15,532	9,039	–	6,493
Monaghan,	8,678	5,158	–	3,520
Tyrone,	13,626	9,860	–	3,766
	112,623	84,452	–	28,171
Connaught.				
Galway,	6,930	11,322	4,392	–
Leitrim,	5,381	4,336	–	1,045
Mayo,	10,225	11,230	1,005	–
Roscommon,	5,592	6,437	845	–
Sligo,	5,510	5,250	–	260
	33,638	38,575	4,937	–
	246,882	246,882	–	–

It appears from this table that the Civil Bill processes served was 28,171 in excess of the average of Ireland in Ulster, and 450 in Munster; it was 4,937 below average in Connaught, and 23,684 below average in Leinster.

The counties most above average in Ulster were—Armagh 7,212 in excess, and Londonderry 6,493.

In Munster the county most above average was Kerry—4,904.

The counties most below average were Dublin 12,581, arising, no doubt, from the proximity to the Superior Court, and Cork 7,177.

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Quarter Sessions.

Applications for Spirit Licences and Appeals from Magistrates at Quarter Sessions.

In the following summary the statistics of appeals and applications for spirit licences at Quarter Sessions are compared with the figures for 1870 —

Appeals and Applications for Spirit Licences at Quarter Sessions	1871	1870.	Increase, 1871	Decrease, 1871
Appeals from Magistrates—				
Affirmed,	298	261	37	–
Reversed,	139	131	8	–
Otherwise disposed of,	104	103	1	–
Total,	541	495	46	–
Applications for spirit licences —				
Number granted—				
Original applications,	777	943	–	166
Licences transferred,	935	885	50	–
Number refused—				
Original applications,	899	932	–	33
Application for transfer,	135	85	50	–
Otherwise disposed of,	411	410	1	–
Total,	3,157	3,255	–	98

The number of appeals from Magistrates heard at Quarter Sessions, as appears from the above figures, was less in 1870 than in 1871; the number in the former year being 495 against 537 in the latter, showing an increase in 1871 of 46 Only 437, however, appear to have been heard and decided in Court, and in 298 cases the previous decisions were affirmed, and in 139 reversed.

The number of applications for spirit licences in 1871 also shows a satisfactory decrease, having been 98 less than in the preceding year. There was a decrease of 116, or about 7 per cent, in the number granted.

Sheriffs' Proceedings.

Returns have been received from Sheriffs of Counties and Counties of Cities and Towns. In two cases (Londonderry and Sligo) the Sheriffs have never made any returns, and accordingly in the summary an estimate has been made in the way explained in the tables. In other cases of default the returns received for 1869 and 1870 have been entered in the table as approximately correct for 1871.

Ejectments executed.

The following is a summary of the returns included in the table with respect to the execution of ejectments :—

Provinces.	Population in 1871.	Ejectments for Non payment of Rent		Other Ejectments.		Total Ejectments	Number per 100 000 of the Population
		Writs of Habere of Superior Courts	Civil Bill Ejectments.	Writs of Habere of Superior Courts	Civil Bill Ejectments.		
Leinster,	1,335,966	119	194	27	47	387	29
Munster,	1,390,402	55	151	61	55	322	23
Ulster,	1,830,398	33	199	24	169	425	23
Connaught,	845,993	22	88	21	23	154	18
Total,	5,402,759	229	632	133	294	1,288	24

From this table it appears (assuming the method of estimating for defaulting counties explained already to be correct) that in 1871 there were 1,288 ejectments executed by

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Sheriffs in Ireland. The last column in the above table shows the proportion of ejectments to the population; and it appears that this was highest in Leinster, where the proportion was 29 in every 100,000 of the population, and lowest in Connaught, where it was 18 in an equal number of the population.

Ejectments executed.

In order, however, to obtain the total number of ejectments executed in Ireland during the year, it is necessary to add to the number (1,288) given in the above summary the number (314) of warrants issued at Petty Sessions against cottier tenants for waste, non-payment of rent, and for overholding, under sections 84, 85, and 86 of Statute 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, and the number (4,836) of warrants against overholding weekly tenants in towns, under Statute 14 & 15 Vic., c. 92, sec 15. This gives a total of 6,438 as the number of ejectments for execution in Ireland in 1871.

Of the number of ejectments given in the above summary as executed, it appears that 861 were for non-payment of rent, and 427 were "other ejectments." In the case of cottier tenants and tenants in towns, it appears that of the total number of ejectments (5,150) only 2 were ejectments for waste, 27 were for non-payment of rent, and 5,121 were for overholding.

It further appears from the statistics that the proportion of ejectments executed by the Sheriffs and by Special Bailiffs was as follows:—

Ejectments.	Executed by Sheriffs.	Executed by Special Bailiffs
Ejectments from Superior Courts,	210	152
Civil Bill Ejectments,	570	356
Total,	780	508

The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1860 (23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, sec. 94,) removed the necessity of disturbing all the under-tenants in every ejectment of a head-tenant. It appears that in the counties from which returns have been received no fewer than 129 under-tenants were, by consent, left unmolested on the execution of ejectments, which represents that number of families in one year saved from unnecessary disturbance by this salutary change in the law.

Jurors summoned.

With regard to the summoning of jurors in Ireland for attendance at the various Courts, the returns of the Sheriffs show the number of such summonses issued by them during the year, and the Courts at which the jurors were required. The following is an abstract of the table in the Appendix —

Provinces	Jurors Summoned (except for County and City of Dublin)				
	For Assizes.	Courts of Chancery and Recorders.	Special Commission.	Other Purposes.	Total
Leinster (except Dublin),	4,816	9,089	–	406	14,311
Munster,	3,846	11,242	56	–	15,144
Ulster,	4,958	9,646	–	–	14,604
Connaught,	3,317	5,241	104	730	9,392
Total,	16,937	35,218	160	1,136	53,451

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The Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, provides that the Sheriffs shall keep complete records of the jurors whom they have summoned during the year, and this provision will come into operation in next Hilary Term.

Jurors summoned

The number of jurors summoned has a very important bearing upon the Jurors Books in some counties. Owing to the absence of leases, the number of jurors under the qualifications in force in 1870 was quite inadequate for the duties to be discharged; thus in King's County, while 1,408 jurors were summoned within the year, the Jurors Books showed only 358 jurors. In the town of Galway, while 1,152 jurors were summoned in the year, there were only 184 jurors on the Jurors Book.

In other counties the scarcity of jurors is made up by qualifications appearing on Jurors Books different from the statutable qualifications; as in county Waterford, where only 491 jurors appear with the statutable qualifications, and 577 with other qualifications In county Kilkenny, 874 appear with the statutable qualifications, and 830 without.

The number of illegal qualifications returned was an increasing evil. The numbers ascertained in counties at large were in 1869, 3,028; in 1870, 4,985, and in 1871, 6,019. According to the latest returns, in counties of cities and towns, and boroughs, out of 11,327, no less than 6,157 appeared in the lists with irregular qualifications not stated according to the statute.

The Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, which came into operation in July of the present year, by changing the officers who prepare the lists and the Courts that revise them, and by adopting the Clerks of Poor Law Unions, and Courts of Chairmen of Counties, and Revising Barristers, who have so successfully prepared and revised the lists of Parliamentary electors, has provided safeguards against future Jurors' Lists being in the same state, and by assimilating the qualifications to the principles on which the Parliamentary franchise is based, though adopting a higher standard, has made provision for an adequate number of jurors, and by a strict rotation diminished the amount of duty which devolves on each juror.

Special Jurors in cities and towns.

A return has been obtained of the numbers for each qualification of special jurors in counties of cities and towns, and the return is complete for all such jurisdictions, except the county of the city of Dublin.

Return of Special Jurors upon the Special Jurors Lists, from Returns made by Sheriffs, 1871, for all Counties of Cities and of Towns, except the County of the City of Dublin.

Total,	417
Ex-Grand Jurors at Assizes,	168
Magistrates,	87
Traders possessed of personal property of £5,000 or upwards,	53
Wholesale Merchants,	35
Ex-Sheriffs,	21
Qualifications not stated,	15
Other Qualifications,	14
Bankers,	11
Eldest sons of any of the foregoing,	11
Knights,	2

It appears from this table that the largest class of special jurors had only *ex-officio* qualifications, some of which do not imply any property qualification This defect in the existing law is, however, entirely remedied by the Juries Act (Ireland), 1871, and after the first day of Hilary Term next, special jurors cannot, as heretofore, get on the special juries without showing a special property qualification.

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Sheriffs' Proceedings

The other proceedings of Sheriffs in 1871 are returned as follows:—

	Number
Courts held for Election of Coroners,	1
" of Members of Parliament,	2
" under Writ of Trial or Inquiry,	4
" for Compensation under Lands Clauses, Companies Act, &c,	29
Process executed as Queen's Bailiff, viz:—	
Forfeitures,	–
All other cases,	–
Writs of Habeas Corpus, Proceedings in,	4
" De Lunatico Inquirendo,	3
All other Writs, not of Execution,	13
Application to Court in Interpleader,	32
Decrees or Processes executed, viz.—	
Writs of Habere executed by consent without disturbing Under-Tenant,	26
Number of Under Tenants acknowledging in such cases,	129
Writs of Renewal after part execution,	–
Fresh execution of Writs on Justices' Certificate,	1
Writs of Assistance from Court of Probate,	2
Injunctions from Landed Estates Court,	21
Process under Lands Clauses Act,	3

Recorders' Courts.

Special Jurisdiction

Recorders in Ireland are given special jurisdiction in some cases. From three of the five Recorders' Courts in Ireland returns have been received, two of which, however, are nil returns.

Local Charter Courts.

There are no Manor Courts in Ireland since the Manor Courts Abolition Act of 1859. The following summary shows the business in 1870 in the eight Local Charter Courts, which were preserved by the Municipal Corporation Reform Act of 1840.

Local Courts in Corporate Towns.	Summonses Issued	Causes Heard	Amount Recovered	Executions Issued	Fees Collected.
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Clonmel Court of Conscience,	92	63	26 6 8	6	9 13 0
Drogheda do,	97	56	83 6 11	–	4 17 0
Dublin Lord Mayor's Court (1870),	1,459	1,200	800 0 0	75	150 0 2
Dublin Court of Conscience (1865),	3,900	2,738	*1,787 0 0	436	345 4 7
Kilkenny do,	188	141	81 1 0	–	9 8 0
Lamerick do,	1,534	1,132	151 14 6	250	76 14 0
Londonderry do,	874	376	114 16 10	125	49 19 0
Wexford do,	149	107	58 16 4	6	8 13 0
Total,	8,293	5,813	3,103 2 3	898	654 8 9

Petty Sessions Courts

The last table in the Appendix shows the civil business at the Courts of Petty Sessions; the first item in which shows the number of civil cases other than those which related to tenements held by cottier tenants. The total number is 79,882 cases, which is very nearly one-third of the civil bills other than ejectments served from the Courts of Chairmen of Counties and Recorders, the number being, allowing for deficient returns, 246,882.

Proceedings against cottier tenants.

The table also shows the proceedings relating to cottier tenants under the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1860, (Stat. 23 & 24 Vic, c. 154,) under which cottier tenements may be summarily recovered at Petty Sessions for waste, for non-payment of rent, or for overholding. The cases for summary recovery of tenements in towns against weekly tenants, under Stat. 14 & 15 Vic, c. 92, sec. 15, are also shown.

A cottier tenant is defined by the 81st section of the Act of 1860 to be any person holding by agreement or memorandum in writing from the landlord a tenement consisting of a dwelling-house or cottage without land, or with any portion of land not exceeding half an acre statute measure, at a rent not exceeding the rate of £5 by the year, for one month, or from month to month, or in like manner for any lesser period of time, the landlord undertaking to keep and maintain the dwelling-house or cottage

* Not returned; estimated from proportion in 1863.

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in tenantable condition and repair. This definition is held not to include the case of weekly tenants, who are dealt with under Stat. 14 & 15 Vic., c. 92, sec. 15, already referred to.

Proceedings against cottier tenants.

The proceedings against cottier and weekly tenants in 1871 appear from the returns to have been as follows:—

SUMMARY RECOVERY OF POSSESSION	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs	Cases in which there was a stay of Execution
Cottier Tenants Under Stat. 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154				
For Waste (sec. 84),	76	46	2	2
For Non-payment of Rent (sec. 85),	145	69	27	4
For Overholding (sec. 86),	1,279	815	285	116
Weekly Tenants Under Stat. 14 & 15 Vic., c. 92, s. 15				
For Overholding in Towns (sec. 15),	10,825	8,032	4,836	129
Total,	12,325	8,962	5,150	251

The returns further indicate the number of days on which Petty Sessions were not held in consequence of the non-attendance of Magistrates. This number (1,148), as compared with 13,271 days on which Petty Sessions Courts other than Police Courts were held, gives a proportion of 9 per cent.; but this proportion is differently distributed, and reaches 15·2 per cent. in the province of Connaught, as appears from the following table:—

PROVINCES.	Number of Days on which Petty Sessions not held for non-attendance of Magistrates.	Number of Days on which Petty Sessions held	Proportion of Days when Sessions not held to Days on which Sessions held
			Per cent.
Leinster,	329	3,644	9·3
Munster,	289	3,906	7·4
Ulster,	188	3,467	5·4
Connaught,	342	2,254	15·2
Total (606 Courts),	1,148	13,271	8·7

The local jurisdiction in civil matters other than those relating to land is divided in Connaught in the following proportion:—

		Per cent.
Total Local Civil Cases other than Land Cases,	51,933	100
Processes served for Chairmen of Counties and Recorders' Courts,	33,638	64·8
Cases at Courts of Petty Sessions,	18,295	35·2

When the Petty Sessions Courts occupy so important a position in disposing of one-third (35·2) of the small civil cases of the poor, it is a very serious hardship on them when the Courts are on 15·2 per cent. of days appointed postponed from non-attendance of Magistrates.

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SUMMARY.

The following is a Summary of the principal results noticed in the preceding Report :—

CHAPTER I.—STATISTICS OF CRIME.

1. The statistics of serious crime committed in Ireland in 1871 are more favourable than in any year since 1864, when the Police Statistics for all Ireland in their present form were first in a complete shape

(*a*) In the case of indictable offences there has been a decrease of 1,362, or 14 per cent., on the number in the preceding year, being a greater decrease than in any preceding year.

(*b*) In offences determined summarily there was a decrease of 13,826, or 6 per cent, on the numbers in the preceding year—reducing such offences to a lower absolute amount and to a lower number per 10,000 of population than in any year since the Statistics were first in a complete shape—in 1864.

(*c*.) This decrease was very marked in three of the more important offences determined summarily—amounting to 4,782 cases of drunkenness, 534 cases of stealing, and 485 cases of wilful and malicious destroying of property.

2 Treasonable offences, which in 1866 and 1867 exceeded 500 in number, were reduced in 1870 to 37, and have fallen to 7 in 1871. These figures indicate that the outburst of treason which took place in 1866 and 1867 may be treated as having come to an end

3 (*a*). Cases of agrarian crime specially reported by the Constabulary, which were 767 in 1869 and 1,329 in 1870, have fallen to 368 in 1871; the first six months of 1872 show a further decrease. The outrages, which were 1,219 in the first six months of 1870, and 242 in the first six months of 1871, have fallen to 116 in 1872. This number, however, is still above half the number in 1865, 1866, 1867, and 1868; the number in the whole of 1866 having been as low as 87.

(*b*.) On examining the character of some of the more serious crimes of 1872, it appears that, while connected with land, they relate not to disputes about compensation for improvements or disturbance, adequate jurisdiction to dispose of which was conferred on the local Courts by the Landlord and Tenant Act of 1870; but several of them have arisen out of disputes about rights of way between adjoining tenants on the same or adjoining estates, and questions of title and equitable questions between families of tenants or between small proprietors, with which the Irish County Court is not competent to deal, having in these respects a more limited jurisdiction in some of these branches than the corresponding Courts in Scotland, and in others than the corresponding Courts in England and Wales

4. Of the counties specially proclaimed by the Peace Preservation Act, in the county Mayo alone has the number of the proceedings (72) in the last six months of 1871 been greater than in the corresponding period of 1870, and the increase has been only 16 proceedings, the number for last six months of 1870 being 56, or 22 per cent. less. In all the counties taken together there has been a decrease of 155, or 35 per cent., below the number in the corresponding period in 1870.

5. The comparison of crime in counties and counties of cities and towns shows that, while the average of serious crime in all Ireland is only 15 per 10,000 of population, in the Dublin Metropolitan Police District it exceeds eight times the average amount, or 130 per 10,000 of population. In the county of the city of Cork it was above average,

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or 25, and in Westmeath it amounted to average. The counties most favourably circumstanced are the portions of Antrim and Down outside Belfast—3 per 10,000, and the county of the town of Carrickfergus, where the crime was only 1 in the 10,000 of population.

6 (*a*). The most marked feature disclosed in the comparison of crime in counties and towns, is the extent to which crime is concentrated in towns in Ireland. The excess of serious crime in urban districts as compared with crime in the adjoining county, in the case of Dublin is 89 per cent ; in Cork, 70; in Waterford, 55; in Belfast, 49; in Limerick, 42 per cent. There is a similar excess in urban districts in the case of crime determined summarily, although in not quite so large proportions. The most definite way of realizing the large excess of urban crime, is contained in the fact that of 8,155 indictable offences not disposed of summarily in Ireland, 4,401, or more than half, occurred in the Dublin Metropolitan Police District.

(*b*). The operation of the system of electoral division rating has been to concentrate the very poor in towns in Ireland, and to increase unduly in towns the class in which crimes of poverty prevail; and the recommendation of the Committee of the House of Commons to establish union rating, as in England, will, if carried into effect, have a tendency to check crimes arising from the undue concentration of the poor.

7. In comparing the distribution of serious crime in 1871 with 1870, it is satisfactory to observe that the decrease in 1871 has been most marked in some of the districts where crime is highest in both years.

Thus, in the Dublin Metropolitan Police District the decrease has been 23 in the 10,000 of population, while the average decrease in all Ireland has been only between 2 and 3 per cent. In Westmeath the large reduction of 11 in the 10,000 of population, brought the crime from the high figure of 26 in 1870 to the average of 15 in 1871.

8 (*a*). The statistics of serious crime in Ireland, compared with the corresponding statistics of England and Wales, show a smaller number of serious crimes in proportion to population—to the extent of 4,308, or 34 per cent.

(*b*) The Irish statistics are more favourable than the English in the case of immoral offences, from 13 to 66 per cent.; in crimes against property other than malicious, from 51 to 68 per cent.; in cases of perjury, 51 per cent ; and in attempts to commit suicide, 66 per cent.

(*c*) The crimes in which the English statistics are more favourable than the Irish are—riot and assaults of various classes, ranging from 79 to 89 per cent ; malicious offences against property, 77 per cent ; unclassed offences, 79 per cent.; and offences against the lives of others, 14 per cent.

(*d*) The number of cases in which murder was charged at Coroners' inquests was 32 in Ireland, as compared with 18 in a corresponding portion of the population of England and Wales, or an excess in Ireland of 43 per cent. The infanticides in Ireland were 21, as compared with 36 in England and Wales, or 41 per cent. less in Ireland. The infanticides in Ireland were twenty-seven times, and in England sixty-six times the number of murders amongst the same amount of population at other periods of age.

9 (*a*). The number of offences determined summarily was less by 97,333, or 49 per cent in a corresponding portion of the population of England and Wales than in Ireland.

(*b*) The Irish statistics were less favourable than the English in offences against the Ways Acts, 78 per cent.; in offences against the Fishery Acts, 78 per cent.; in unclassed offences, 76 per cent.; and in drunkenness and being drunk and disorderly, 65 per cent.

(*c*.) On the other hand, the Irish statistics are more favourable than the English in offences against the Game Acts, 77 per cent.; in offences against Poor Law Acts, 78 per cent.; in enforcement of Vagrant Acts other than against prostitutes, 79; in offences against Local Acts, 79 per cent.

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10 (*a*). The publication of the Scotch statistics in a complete form for 1870 has enabled a comparison to be made between Irish and Scotch crime.

(*b.*) Ulster has been selected for comparison with Scotland, as corresponding more closely in race of inhabitants with Scotland than any other two portions of the United Kingdom; the Celtic inhabitants of Scotland being mainly descended from Ulster colonists, and the majority of the Protestant inhabitants of Ulster from Lowland Scotch.

(*c.*) The number of offences of all kinds in Ulster in 1871 was less by 7,404 offences, or 11 per cent. than in a corresponding population in Scotland. The crimes against human life were only 83 in Ulster, as compared with the proportional number of 95 in Scotland; the crimes against morals were only 33 in Ulster, as compared with 100 in Scotland, or 67 per cent. less; offences against property were less by 9,522 offences, or 73 per cent.

(*d*) On the other hand, the unfavourable feature of the Ulster statistics was in Police offences, including riots, assaults, and violation of discipline under Acts of Parliament. The Scotch offences of these classes were less than in Ulster by 2,200 offences, or 4 per cent.

(*e.*) The larger proportion of offences against morals in Scotland has an important bearing on the policy of maintaining a different law of marriage in Scotland from that in other portions of the United Kingdom, after the strong recommendations of the Marriage Law Commissioners, made some years since on this subject.

11. It appears from the statistics of the character of persons proceeded against, that of 16,146 men of bad character, no less than 6,626, or 41 per cent., were habitual drunkards. These figures indicate the importance of the provisions of the new Licensing Act extended to Ireland, which impose increased penalties on drunkenness, and of the recommendations of the Select Committee of the House of Commons for dealing with cases of habitual drunkenness.

12 In the case of 17,153 women of ascertained bad character proceeded against, no less than 10,456, or 61 per cent, were prostitutes. In connexion with the discussions as to the legislation required for checking the physical evils connected with prostitution, these figures, showing the intimate connexion between prostitution and crime, suggest the larger question of the moral and social results of prostitution.

CHAPTER II.—MODES OF PROCEDURE FOR PUNISHING CRIME

1. (*a.*) The statistics of Coroners' inquests show an excess of inquests, in proportion to population, of children aged one year and under, the number being nearly four times the proportion to be expected from the distribution of ages in population.

(*b*) Of 193 inquests of this class, where the legitimacy or illegitimacy was ascertained, it appears that 82 were on illegitimate children, and 111 on legitimate children. But as the number of illegitimate births in Ireland is only 3 to 97, it follows that there should have been little more than 3 inquests instead of 82 amongst illegitimate children—indicating the very close connexion between the excessive number of these inquests and the illegitimacy of the children. In the case of the verdicts of infanticide, 20 out of 21 were on illegitimate children.

2. In comparing the inquests in Ireland and England, there is an excess of 3,191 inquests, or 52 per cent, in England, arising chiefly from the large number of accidental deaths The unfavourable feature of the Irish statistics is the large number of deaths from excessive drinking, the English number being 36 per cent. less.

3. The statistics of persons apprehended for serious crime show a great difference in the proportion of those bailed for trial in Ireland, 39 per cent. of men and 15 per cent. of women, as compared with 6 per cent. of men and 4 per cent of women in England and

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Wales. These differences indicate very clearly the less serious character of the crimes for which persons were made amenable to the Superior Courts in Ireland than of those in England and Wales. This result is further corroborated by the statistics of punishments, as the proportion of persons sentenced to penal servitude is about 10 per cent. in England and Wales, as compared with about 5 per cent. in Ireland.

4. There were 5 persons sentenced to death in Ireland in 1871, of whom only 2 were executed.

5. In the punishments of persons proceeded against summarily for offences other than indictable offences, there were 19 per cent. committed to prison in England, and only 8 per cent. in Ireland, and the excess is greater in the longer than for the shorter terms of imprisonment—indicating the less serious character of the crimes proceeded against summarily in Ireland.

CHAPTER III.—THE CRIMINALS AND OTHERS IN CONFINEMENT, AND KNOWN CRIMINALS AT LARGE

1 (*a*) It appears that 16,019, or about 55 per cent., of the ordinary commitments, other than of those remanded or discharged, were of persons who had been previously committed with more or less frequency. In the case of the men. 830, or 11 per cent., were cases which had been preceded by ten or more commitments, and 1,952, or 26 per cent., were of men who had been previously committed five times or upwards.

(*b*) Amongst the women the proportions were more remarkable; 2,555, or 29 per cent., of the re commitments amongst them were of women who had been previously committed upwards of ten times, and 4,231, or 48 per cent., were of women who had been previously committed five times or upwards. These results indicate very plainly that some further legislation is required for dealing with habitual criminals, especially in the case of women who had been committed above ten times. Such cases appear fitted for the extension to adults of the habitually criminal class of the reformatory principle, which has been so successfully applied to young persons.

(*c*) The analysis of commitments shows that the number of persons committed for the first time—the best index of the amount of fresh crime—was no less than 3,623, or 23 per cent., fewer than the first committals in 1870. This result corroborates the Police statistics as to the diminution in 1871 as well of serious crime as of offences disposed of summarily.

2. It appears from the statistics of criminal lunatics that there were 1,272 committed in Ireland during the year, as compared with 44 in a corresponding population in England and Wales; and that of the entire number in Ireland, 95 per cent. were committed by Justices as dangerous, whilst in England and Wales of the entire number under detention only 5 per cent. appear to have been so committed. These extraordinary differences in the figures suggest a careful comparison of the English and Irish law on the subject of both criminal and pauper lunatics, the difference in the incidence of the charge for supporting them, and the administration of the several institutions in which lunatics are detained in Ireland and England.

3. The statistics of industrial schools show an increase in the total number under detention at the close of the year of 929 on the number of 1870, making the total number protected by these institutions 2,456, and of this number 1,754 were girls—showing that girls have been chiefly rescued from temptation and a criminal career by these institutions.

4. The number of children in industrial schools in Ireland at the close of the year was much larger than the number in England and Wales; the English proportional number being less by 1,294 children, or 52 per cent.

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5 The state of education of those admitted during the year is shown by the fact that upwards of 50 per cent. of them could at the time of their admission neither read nor write. The industrial schools are thus supplying to some extent the want of compulsory education in Ireland.

6. Amongst women and girls committed to prison in Ireland, the number entirely uneducated is 54, as compared with 39 in England and Wales; and even of the most recent youthful criminals sent on to reformatories, 51 per cent. of the girls were entirely ignorant.

7. From the greater proportion of total ignorance amongst the Irish than the English criminal classes, industrial schools and other arrangements for compulsory education of neglected children are more required in Ireland than in England and Wales.

8. The statistics of reformatories show that the number under detention in Ireland at close of year was 970, being less by 139 children, or 12 per cent., than in a corresponding population of England and Wales.

9. It might be supposed from these figures that the Irish authorities were less zealous in working the reformatory principle than those of England and Wales, but if the number sent on to reformatories in Ireland and in England and Wales be compared with the total number in each country committed to gaols under the age of sixteen years, it will appear that 24 per cent. of youthful criminals were sent on to reformatories in Ireland, whilst only 14 per cent were sent on in England and Wales.

10. The statistics of convict prisons show that there was a smaller proportion of prisoners sentenced to penal servitude within the years compared in Ireland than in England and Wales; the Irish number being less by 331 convicts, or 57 per cent. These figures, taken in connexion with the larger proportion of convicts in custody (after allowing for Irish convicts in English prisons) corroborate the result indicated by the Police statistics—that the excess of serious crime in England and Wales as compared with Ireland, is in crime of the gravest class.

11 (*a*). The statistics of criminals at large known to the Police, when added to those in confinement at one time, give 31 in every 10,000 of the population in Ireland, as compared with 41 in England and Wales.

(*b.*) Of criminals at large known to the Police, the number in Ireland is only 6,224, as compared with 12,707 in a corresponding portion of the population of England and Wales.

(*c.*) Of criminals under confinement in places of punishment, the number is 3,300 in Ireland, compared with the corresponding English number of 7,024, being in the same proportion, of about one-half less in Ireland, as the criminals at large known to the Police.

(*d*) In places of prevention or reform—industrial and reformatory schools—the number under detention in Ireland is 3,426, as compared with the English proportional number of 2,271.

(*e.*) In places of refuge and protection—criminals in lunatic asylums—there are 3,492 in Ireland, as compared with the proportional number of 152 for England and Wales.

(*f*) The result is, that whilst the actual criminals and criminal classes under confinement are so much fewer in Ireland, the number of persons detained with a view of guarding against the commission of crime is somewhat greater, being 10,218 in Ireland, as compared with a proportion of 9,447 in England and Wales.

(*g*) These results, showing in Ireland greater care against the commission of crime, followed by a smaller number of criminals, have an important bearing upon the proposals for applying to habitual drunkards and other habitual criminals, protective and reformatory restraint similar to that imposed in Ireland at the end of 1871 on 3,492 criminal lunatics and 3,426 neglected and criminal children.

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CHAPTER IV.—THE COST OF THE REPRESSION OF CRIME

1. The cost of repressing crime in Ireland in 1871 was £1,323,053; the cost for an equal population in England and Wales in 1870 was £869,700, being £453,353, or 34 per cent, less in England.

2. The cost of prosecutions was less in England by £15,549, or 21 per cent., owing to the system of a public prosecutor which exists in Scotland and Ireland not having been yet extended to England.

3. From the Police in England being 12 in every 10,000 of population, whilst the effective force in Ireland is 25 in every 10,000, the cost of Police is £446,225, or 46 per cent., less in a proportion of the population in England than in Ireland

4. In the following counties the effective strength of Police is below or as low as the English proportion of Police to population.—Down and Londonderry, 9 in every 10,000; Armagh, 10; and Tyrone and Antrim, 11.

5. In the following counties the proportion of Police to population differs most from the English proportion:—King's county, 41 in 10,000 population, Tipperary, South Riding, 42; Meath, 44; Westmeath, 50; Tipperary, North Riding, 51.

PART II.—JUDICIAL STATISTICS.

The assimilation of the criminal law for England and Ireland, commenced by Sir Robert Peel in 1828, and advanced in 1860 by the enactment of the consolidated criminal statutes, has enabled a very close comparison to be made of the criminal statistics of Ireland with those of England. In the case of the civil tribunals, although the Irish law rests on the common law of England, the differences in the statute law are so great that it would be a matter of extreme difficulty to institute a satisfactory comparison between the statistics of the two countries.

The jurisdictions, according to these statutable differences, may be divided into three classes—(1) jurisdictions like the Landed Estates Court, Record of Title, and Land Sessions, founded upon principles of jurisprudence in advance of those as yet applied to the corresponding subjects in England; (2) jurisdictions like the Crown side of the Court of Queen's Bench, Bankruptcy and Insolvency in which a large amount of assimilation has been effected in the present session, but which cannot affect the statistics for the past year; and (3) jurisdictions as to which the reforms and principles adopted in England have not been as yet fully applied to Ireland.

Landed Estates Court.

1 (*a*). Of 352 petitions for sale in the Landed Estates Court in 1871, 321, or 91 per cent., were for the sale of incumbered estates—the original object for which the jurisdiction of selling with parliamentary or absolute title was first created in 1849.

(*b*) The extent of incumbrances thus indicated is confirmed by the large rental still managed by the Court of Chancery and the 290 Receivers under that Court in other than minor and lunacy matters.

(*c*.) In connexion with the effect of the Irish Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870, upon sales in the Landed Estates Court, it appears that the rental of property sold in 1871 was £53,754 a year, while the rental of the preceding year was less by £7,485

(*d*) The purchase-money realized in 1871 was £1,008,524, while that in 1870 was less by £251,306, or 25 per cent. The average number of years' purchase was 18¾ per cent. in 1871, while that in 1870 was 16½ years, or 13 per cent. less. The number of years' purchase in 1871 reached a higher figure than in 1869 (17¼), or than in 1868

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(18⅔), or than the average of five years from 1863 to 1867 (17½ years' purchase), showing that the selling value of property has not been injured by the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870.

Record of Title Office

2 (*a*). In the Record of Title Office 42 estates were recorded in 1871, the purchase-money being £165,730. As the record of title is at present limited to estates with absolute or parliamentary titles, the purchase-money, being about 16 per cent of the property sold in the Landed Estates Court in the same year, is a sufficiently large proportion to indicate the soundness of principle on which the Act is framed.

(*b*) Of the estates recorded, only 4 were above £10,000 in value, 19 below £10,000 and above £1,000, and 19 below £1,000. For the most numerous class of estates recorded, local registration would be much more convenient than central, and an extension of optional local registration under central control (on the principles of the registration of marriages and wills) would extend the benefit of the system to the class of small purchasers, who most require and use it.

(*c.*) Whilst the estates recorded form a considerable proportion of those sold with absolute title, they form a small proportion of all the sales of absolute and marketable title taken together. The latter class requires the protection against future complications of title which the record of title is calculated to afford, as much if not more than those sold with absolute title.

Proceedings at Land Sessions

3 (*a*). Assuming the 526,000 agricultural holdings of yearly tenancies or tenancies-at-will in 1870 as an approximate estimate for each county in Ireland of the number of holdings subject to the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870, it appears that there were in the last quarter of 1870 and the whole of the year 1871, 526 cases at Land Sessions—giving an average for all Ireland of 1 case in every 1,000 holdings subject to the Act.

The number of cases in Connaught was only 56 in 127,000 holdings, or 71 below the average proportion of Ireland; in Leinster they were 40 below average; in Munster, 30 above average; and in Ulster, 287 cases in 206,000 holdings, or 81 above average.

(*b.*) The five counties most above average were—Cork, 40; Londonderry, 35; Antrim, 34; Fermanagh, 25, and Tyrone, 23. The counties where there was least appeal to the Land Courts were—King's County, no cases; Longford, 1, Louth and Kilkenny, 2 each, and Monaghan and Meath, 3 each.

(*c.*) Of the entire number of cases (526) at Land Sessions, the decrees were 197, or 37 per cent.; the dismisses, 95, or 18 per cent; making 55 per cent. of the proceedings disposed of by decisions in Court. The large proportion of 27 per cent. of the cases were withdrawn and settled, 14 per cent. postponed, and less than 1 per cent. referred to arbitration.

(*d.*) There were, against 292 decrees and dismisses at Land Sessions, only 52 appeals lodged; of these only 33 were heard. In 4 cases the appeals were reversed, in 13 they were varied, in 13 affirmed, and in 3 cases judgments have been held over.

(*e*) In the Court of Land Cases Reserved there were only 2 appeals—one was heard, and the judgment affirmed. It was a case of a claim to register improvements, which was granted, but no value allowed to be registered.

(*f*) The total sum adjudged in decrees was £13,644, and deducting £2,207 allowed for default of tenant, &c., the net sum adjudged was £11,456. Allowing the same proportion for claims disposed of out of Court, the direct protection to tenants in all the cases may be estimated at £26,500.

(*g.*) It appears from these figures that, except a rare case of a claim to register improvements to the extent of £8,166, the holdings in respect of which cases have been decided by the Land Sessions are of a very small class. The gross amount decreed gives an average for Ireland of £69 in each case. In Ulster it reached £81; in Munster, £64; in Leinster, £49, and in Connaught, £33.

(*h.*) Of the gross amount adjudged at Land Sessions (£13,664), £5,621, or 41 per

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cent., was for loss on quitting holding and improvement together; £4,558, or 33 per cent., was for Ulster tenant-right; £1,908, or 14 per cent, for loss on quitting holding alone; and £1,577, or 12 per cent., for improvement alone.

(*i.*) Of the gross amount adjudged in Ulster (£9,956), £4,558, or 46 per cent., was for Ulster tenant-right; £3,582, or 36 per cent., for loss on quitting holding and improvement together; £1,389, or 14 per cent, for loss on quitting holding alone, and £427, or 4 per cent., for improvement alone.

4. The want of assimilation of the practice and procedure of the Crown side of the Court of Queen's Bench in Ireland with that of England, which arose from the Irish Judges not having the powers conferred on the English Judges in 1844, has been terminated by Mr Heron's Queen's Bench (Ireland) Procedure Act (Stat. 35 & 36 Vic, c. 28,) of the present session.

5 (*a*). By the Debtors (Ireland) Act of the present session, the reform of abolishing the creditor's power of imprisoning for debt, which was adopted in England and Wales in 1869, has been extended to Ireland.

(*b.*) By the Bankruptcy (Ireland) Act of the present session, the late bankruptcy law, which hitherto rested on the Act of 1857, has been reformed by adopting, with appropriate modifications, the more recent reforms introduced in England.

6 (*a*). The want of assimilation between the practice and procedure of the superior Courts of common law in Ireland and England, arising from the non-extension to Ireland of the principles of the English Common Law Procedure Acts to the extent recommended by the English and Irish Law and Chancery Commission in 1863, prevents a comparison with the corresponding Courts in England and Wales.

(*b.*) As compared with 1870, the business of the superior Courts of common law, under some of the principal heads, shows a slight increase, the number of summons and plaints filed having been 12,111, or 102 more than in 1870, there was an increase of 163 in the proceedings before the full Courts on the number in the preceding year (1,021).

(*c*) The total amount recovered on verdicts was practically the same in both years, being £40,404 in 1871, and £40,631 in 1870.

7. In circuit business there was an increase in the number of appeals from Chairmen of Counties and Recorders, from 365 in 1870 to 473 in 1871, arising in part from the jurisdiction at Land Sessions, in part from cases remitted from the superior Courts, and in part from the increase in the number of Civil Bills.

8. The number of causes remitted from the superior Courts to the local Courts was 135, and 76 of such causes were lodged in local Courts for trial in the year. The diminution of cases for trial at Nisi Prius in Dublin, was 56, indicating that the increased cheapness of trial in the local Courts has led to a larger number of cases being tried.

(*a*) In Chancery there has been an increase in 1871 as compared with 1870 of about 25 per cent. in the proceedings in the chambers of the Lord Chancellor, the Master of the Rolls, and the Vice-Chancellor, as measured by the most important proceedings, viz.—summonses for the administration of estates, fees collected, and orders of the class drawn up in Chambers; while there has been a diminution of about 10 per cent. in the court business.

(*b*) The Accountant-General's return shows £4,343,681 under the care of the Court of Chancery in 1871, being £20,584 more than in the preceding year.

9 (*a*). In the Probate Court there has been a considerable increase in probates and letters of administrations in the District Registries, of from 1,744 in 1870 to 1,885 in 1871, or an increase of 141; whilst the decrease in the Principal Registry was only 9—from 1,782 in 1870 to 1,773 in 1871. The difference between the local and central Registry indicates the same tendency as in the business of the common law Courts, to an increase of local and diminution of central administration in legal business.

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(*b.*) The very small amount of contentious business in the Probate Court—only 58 trials in relation to probates and administrations at central Registry, and 28 in relation to those at the local Registries—indicates the satisfactory working of the law of wills and of the probate jurisdiction for the class of cases that fall within their scope.

(*c.*) Under the operation of the Irish Church Act the Ecclesiastical Courts were abolished on 1st January, 1871. The matrimonial jurisdiction has been transferred to the Court of Probate. There were 12 matrimonial cases during the year, 3 decrees for divorce *a mensâ et thoro*, and 1 decree for restitution of conjugal rights.

(*d*) The action for criminal conversation is still distinguished from the proceedings for a divorce in Ireland, and for a complete divorce a private Act of Parliament is required.

10. In the Courts of Chairmen of Counties and Recorders there was a marked increase in nearly all the items of civil business in addition to the land cases and cases remitted from the superior Courts. There was an increase of 2,461 in Civil Bills entered, raising the number in 1871 to 75,578. In the amount recovered there was an increase of £41,358, raising the amount recovered to £223,759. There was an increase of 283 in the number of ejectment decrees for rent, raising the number to 2,809; while in ejectments on the title there was a decrease in the number of decrees from 974 to 844.

11. At Quarter Sessions there was a satisfactory decrease of 98 in the number of spirit licences applied for, and a decrease of 116, or about 11 per cent., in the number granted.

12 (*a*) The Sheriffs' returns show 53,451 jurors summoned in all the counties and cities of Ireland except the county and the city of Dublin.

(*b.*) A comparison of the Sheriffs' returns with those of Jurors Sessions shows how deficient the number of qualified jurors was in some counties for the duties to be discharged. This arose from the discontinuance of leases on which the old qualification rested. Thus, in King's county, whilst 1,408 jurors were summoned within the year, the jurors book shows only 358 jurors. In the town of Galway, whilst 1,152 jurors were summoned in the year, there are only 184 jurors on the jurors book.

(*c*) In other counties the scarcity of jurors is made up by qualifications appearing on the jurors book different from the statutable qualifications; as in the county Waterford, where only 491 jurors appear with statutable qualifications, and 577 with other qualifications. In county Kilkenny 874 appear with statutable qualifications, and 330 without.

(*d.*) The number of illegal qualifications returned was an increasing evil. The numbers ascertained in counties at large in 1869 were 3,028; in 1870, 4,985; and in 1871 the number had increased to 6,019. In counties of cities and towns and boroughs, according to the latest returns, out of 11,327 no less than 6,157 appeared in the lists with irregular qualifications not stated according to the statute.

(*e.*) The transfer under the Juries (Ireland) Act, 1871, of the preparation of the jurors lists from the Grand Jury Cess Collectors to the Clerks of Poor Law Unions, and the revision from Magisterial Jurors Sessions to the Parliamentary Electors Revision Courts, will have a great tendency to abate these irregularities and illegalities.

13. The importance of the civil jurisdiction at Petty Sessions is shown by the number of cases—79,882, or about one-third of the number (246,882) of the Civil Bills other than ejectments served from the Courts of Chairmen of Counties and Recorders.

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POLICE—IRELAND.

POLICE Tables, showing Establishments and Costs, Number of Criminal Classes known to the Police, Number of Crimes Committed and Persons Apprehended, Number of Persons proceeded against Summarily, and Character of Persons proceeded against in each Police District; compiled from Returns furnished at the request of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, by the Royal Irish Constabulary and the Dublin Metropolitan Police, and by the Town Clerks of Cities and of Towns.

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POLICE TABLE 1.—ESTABLISHMENTS (1)—ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY. ESTABLISHMENT, with POPULATION of COUNTIES, and COUNTIES of CITIES and COUNTIES of TOWNS, at last Census, and COST under the different HEADS of SERVICE with the Proportion paid by Her Majesty's Treasury, and also by Counties and Districts specially charged, in the Year ended 31st March, 1871

ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY	PART I.—ESTABLISHMENT											COST OF ESTABLISHMENT									
	Inspector-General.	Other Superior Officers.	Sub-Inspectors.	Clerks.	Head-Constables.	Constables.	Acting Constables.	Sub-Constables.	Detectives	Messengers.	TOTAL.	Salaries and Pay	Allowances and Contingent Expenses.	Clothing and Accoutrements.	Superannuation and Gratuities	Horses, Harness Forage, &c.	Station House Charges, Printing Stationery &c.	Other Miscellaneous Charges.	TOTAL COST.	Proportion paid by Counties for Increased Number of Men	Proportion paid by Proclaimed Districts.	Proportion paid by Her Majesty's Treasury
Head Office, Dublin Castle, Receiver's Office,	1	9 / 6[b]	41	20	1					9	81 / 1	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	PART II.—ESTABLISHMENT (including Depôt)																				
	Superior Officer	Town Inspector & County Inspectors.	Sub-Inspectors.	Head Constables.	Constables.	Acting Constables	Sub-Constables	Number of Police employed regularly as Dock Constables	Number of Police of all ranks on Playgrounds, Fairs, Markets, &c. as Detectives.	TOTAL.											
—	1	36	249	323	6,020	615	9,454	0	0	-	866 378 11 11	60,977 0 1	42,586 8 3	11,603 9 2	23179 10 10	42,129 0 7	10,589 0 3	892,292 18 7	85,897 17 0	647 19 0	826,737 5 10

a Private Secretary to the Inspector-General b Receives, who is also Deputy Paymaster General c The Detectives are of various ranks, and are included in the preceding columns.

PART III.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the FORCE in COUNTIES, and in COUNTIES of CITIES and of TOWNS, on the 30th day of September, 1871.

COUNTIES, AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS WITH DISTRICT OF BELFAST	Population according to Census of 1871	Number of Effective Strength per 10,000 of Population	Total Effective Strength	Constables, Acting Constables, and Sub-Constables.	Head Constables.	Sub-Inspectors.	County and Town Inspectors	COUNTIES, AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS WITH DISTRICT OF DELGANY.	Population according to Census of 1871	Number of Effective Strength per 10,000 of Population.	Total Effective Strength.	Constables, Acting Constables, and Sub-Constables.	Head Constables.	Sub Inspectors.	County and Town Inspectors.
Antrim,	235 838	11	261	253	6	7	1	Sligo —	115 511	19	211	203	6	0	1
Armagh,	170 221	16	192	185	7	0	1	Tipperary, Nth Riding,	92 886	21	419	471	8	0	1
Carlow,	51 472	25	126	122	4	4	1	Tipperary, Sth Riding,	123 324	42	522	511	11	0	1
Cavan,	140 [illegible]	19	217	209	6	7	1	Tyrone	210 665	11	236	228	7	0	1
Clare,	147,994	25	317	306	11	0	1	Waterford,	96 498	25	249	241	8	0	1
Cork East Riding	251 384	17	454	441	13	12	1	Westmeath	78 619	56	593	584	8	7	1
Cork West Riding	1 6,236	19	278	270	8	8	1	Wexford	132 506	20	269	260	8	7	1
Donegal	217 922	26	561	545	13	15	1	Wicklow,	78 509	27	210	204	6	0	1
Down	277 118	9	255	247	8	0	1	CITIES AND TOWNS.							
Dublin	405 [illegible]	30	296	284	6	6	1								
Fermanagh,	62,686	19	166	160	6	8	1	Carrickfergus,	9 463	19	19	19			
Galway East Riding	235 003	27	301	293	8	0	1	Cork	78 382	26	205	201	4	3	
Galway West Riding,			317	309	11	6	1	Drogheda,	14,369	27	39	37	1	1	
Kerry	196 814	19	249	241	8	7	1	Galway	15,184	51	66	65	1	1	
Kildare,	84 193	27	226	218	1	4	1	Kilkenny,	12 654	39	50	48	2	1	
Kilkenny,	65,633	00	338	330	0	0	1	Limerick,	38 928	19	77	75	2	1	
King's	75,781	41	309	302	7	0	1	Londonderry,	26 242	30	76	74	2	1	
Leitrim	93 224	00	289	282	7	8	1	Waterford	23 337	31	71	69	0	2	
Limerick,	151 485	23	353	323	10	0	1								
Londonderry,	140 000	0	129	124	5	4	1	Total .	4 890 110	23	11,124	10 932	292	207	36
Longford,	64 405	00	190	184	6	4	1								
Louth,	62 209	26	174	169	5	3	1								
Mayo,	246 655	20	502	490	12	10	1	Belfast Town Force	124 304	20	443	430	10	3	1
Meath	94 490	44	417	408	9	9	1	Reserve Force,			238	221	11	6	
Monaghan	112 785	16	182	176	6	4	1	Depôt,			460	401	0	3	
Queen's	77 071	31	236	228	8	0	1								
Roscommon,	141 240	26	392	383	9	0	1								

a In the printed abstract of the Census returns the population of Dublin County and City is given as 405,620. By deducting the population of the Metropolitan Police District (337,889), returned by the Superintendent, on page 106, we obtain the figure in above table for Dublin outside the Metropolitan Police District

PART IV.—AMOUNT CHARGED to COUNTIES and COUNTIES of CITIES and of TOWNS for EXTRA FORCE, for the Year ended 31st March, 1871.

Greatest Number of Extra Men chargeable in the Year—namely, in the Month of March 1871	Least Number of Extra Men chargeable in the Year—namely in the Month of October 1870.	Total Amount charged during the Year
		£ s. d.
1,571	1,530	39,489 7 3

PART V.—A STATEMENT of the COST of the ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY FORCE, including all Items of Expenditure which have a direct bearing and reference to the Charge proper for Constabulary purposes, from 1st April, 1870, to 31st March, 1871

	£ s. d.
Superintending Officers Salaries and Allowances,	11 401 4 11
Pay, Extra Pay, and Allowances,	613 354 13 7
Clothing	40 499 2 0
Arms, Ammunition, Accoutrements, and Saddlery,	5,937 0 3
Horses and Forage	23 119 13 10
Rent of Barracks, Barrack Furniture, Fuel, and Light,	42 129 3 7
Pensions and Gratuities,	116 193 0 3
Miscellaneous,	10 669 0 0
Total,	£892 292 18 7

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POLICE TABLE 2.—ESTABLISHMENTS (2).—DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE. ESTABLISHMENT, with POPULATION of DIVISIONS, and COSTS under the different HEADS of SERVICE, with the Proportion paid by Her Majesty's Treasury, in the year ended 31st December, 1871.

PART I.—OFFICE OF COMMISSIONERS OF POLICE.

PART I	ESTABLISHMENT				COST OF ESTABLISHMENT							
	Commissioners	Other Superior Officers	Clerks &c.	TOTAL	Salaries and Pay	Allowances and Contingent Expenses.	Clothing and Accoutrements.	Superannuations and Gratuities.	Horses Harness, Forage &c	Office Charges.	Other Miscellaneous Charges.	TOTAL COST	Proportion paid by Her Majesty's Treasury
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Office, . . .	2	3	14	19	3 649 10 2	281 2 2	15 0 0	2,046 7 11	—	26 0 2	200 0 0	6,428 3 0	6220 1 11

PART II.—ESTABLISHMENT OF DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE.

PART II	Population 1871 Dublin Metropolitan Police District.	ESTABLISHMENT							COST OF ESTABLISHMENT							
		Superintendents.	Inspectors.	Sergeants.	Constables.	Additional Constables	Detectives.	TOTAL.	Salaries and Pay	Allowances and Contingent Expenses	Clothing and Accoutrements.	Superannuations and Gratuities.	Horses, Harness Forage, &c	Station House Charges.	Other Miscellaneous Charges	TOTAL COST	Proportion paid by Her Majesty's Treasury
									£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s d	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s d
DIVISIONS																	
1 A, City, S.W.,	87,210	1	6	17	136			161									
2 B " S.E.,	59 602	1	5	10	161			176									
3 C, " N.E.,	68-905	1	4	14	142			162									
4 D, " N.W. and Rural(*)	85,462	1	4	16	104			174									
5 E, " S. and Rural (†),	61 056	1	4	17	126			147									
6 F " Rural (‡),	32 719	1	3	10	125			140									
7 G (§),		1	1	17	26		[44]	44									
8 Constables employed at Public Offices				4	27		—	31	52,543 6 8	2,221 14 3	4,608 16 4	22,062 10 6	1,109 2 1	6,089 17 1	968 10 0	90,781 1 10	45 476 11 9
9 Same paid for by parties employing them				4	19		—	23									
10 Constables on duty at private establishments, and paid for by parties employing them,					4		—	4									
Total	337,089	7	28	128	912		[44]	1,068	52,543 6 8	2,221 14 3	4,608 16 4	22,062 10 6	1,109 2 1	6,089 17 1	968 10 0	90,781 1 10	45,476 11 9

(*) D, Rural part—Glasnevin to Castleknock. (†) F, Rural part—Crumlin to Sandymount. (‡) F, Rural—Merrion Old Churchyard to Mount Malpas, Killiney Hill
(§) The Officers and Constables of the G Division are employed as "Detectives."

PART III.—DUBLIN POLICE COURTS.

PART III	Number of Courts.	ESTABLISHMENT						COST OF ESTABLISHMENT					
		Recorder	Magistrates	Clerks	Police Officers and Constables.	Housekeepers.	TOTAL.	Salaries and Pay	Clothing and Accoutrements.	Fuel and Light.	Rent Taxes Repairs and Miscellaneous Charges.	Superannuation Allowances	TOTAL COST	Proportion paid by Her Majesty's Treasury
								£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Police Courts, .	3	1	6	14	23	2	45	9,010 10 6	10 0 0	98 7 4	872 13 6	1 100 13 4	10,923 13 7	5,471 17 2

PART IV.—A STATEMENT of the COST of the DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE FORCE, including all those items of Expenditure which have a direct bearing and reference to the Charge proper for Police purposes, from 31st December, 1870, to 31st December, 1871.

	£ s d
Office Expenses, including Salaries of Commissioners' Department, Postage, Travelling Expenses, Newspapers and Advertisements, and other small Contingencies,	3,966 12 9
Law Charges	75 18 2
Superintendents' Salaries	2 237 0 0
Pay Clothing and Equipment of the Force,	54 676 16 10
Medical Salaries Medicines and Funeral Expenses,	357 11 2
Repair of Premises Rent of Premises Rates and Taxes, Furniture and Fixtures, Cleaning Stations, Turner's Wares, and other small Charges incidental to Premises	3,109 7 7
Fuel and Light,	1,740 16 6
Total,	£66,279 4 10
Average Cost per Man, £62 os 6d.	

The strength of the Force (exclusive of Police employed at Police Courts), on the 31st December, 1871, was 1,045.

N B.—The amount charged for Rent is the actual sum paid, after deducting £2,114 13s. 10d. receipts from the Police for "Lodging Money."

The following items of Expense should be excluded in estimating the Cost per Man of the Metropolitan Police Force —

	£ s d.
Medical Attendance and Medicines for destitute Prisoners,	0 1 0
Horses Forage Saddlery &c. and Vans	1,169 2 1
Erection and Purchase of Premises,	1 042 17 11
Refreshments for destitute Prisoners and other small Contingencies,	32 14 0
Extraordinary Expenses incurred in the Pursuit, Apprehension, and Conveyance of Prisoners,	2 962 5 9
Expenses and Allowances on special occasions,	23 19 2
Retired Allowances to Officers of Commissioners' Department, paid by the Treasury,	—
Police Expenditure on account of Police Courts (Pay and Cost of Clothing of 23 Constables),	1,282 8 2
Ditto Her Majesty's Yards,	—
Ditto Military Stations	—
Ditto Dangerous Structures Act,	—
Deficiency of Police Superannuation Fund,	22,185 16 6
Total,	£28,699 2 3

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POLICE TABLE 3.—ESTABLISHMENTS (3) —Local Force of Town Constables, Watchmen, &c., and Cost, for the Year ended 29th September, 1871.

TOWNS UNDER TOWN COUNCILS AND TOWN COMMISSIONERS IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES	Superintendents, Inspectors, and Head Constables	Officers of Health and Inspectors of Nuisances	Constables, Town Bailiffs, and Watchmen.	Fire Brigade.	Total	Total Cost
						£ s. d
LEINSTER.						
CARLOW						
Bagenalstown,		2			2	37 6 6
CARLOW and QUEEN'S CO.						
Carlow,		1	2		3	56 0 10
DROGHEDA Town of,		1	2		3	342 0 0
DUBLIN						
Balbriggan,		1			1	4 0 0
Blackrock Township,		1			1	20 0 0
Clontarf Township,	(No Return.)					
Dalkey Township,		1			1	13 0 0
Killiney and Ballybrack,	(No Return.)					
Kingstown,		2			2	104 0 0
New Kilmainham		1			1	12 0 0
Pembroke Township,		2			2	31 0 0
Rathmines & Rathgar Township		1			1	10 0 0
DUBLIN City,		10		31	44	2,026 7 11
DUBLIN and WICKLOW						
Bray Township,		1			1	30 0 0
KILDARE						
Athy		1			1	15 0 0
Naas		1			1	15 0 0
Newbridge,		1			1	15 0 0
KILKENNY						
Callan		1			1	20 16 0
Kilkenny,			2		2	52 0 0
KING'S COUNTY						
Parsonstown,		1	1		2	10 0 0
Tullamore			1		1	16 4 0
LONGFORD						
Longford,			1		1	20 0 0
LOUTH						
Ardee		1			1	8 0 0
Dundalk,		1			1	54 12 0.
MEATH						
Kells		1	1		2	63 14 0
Navan		1	1		2	57 7 10
Trim		1			1	26 0 0
QUEEN'S COUNTY:						
Maryborough,		1			1	10 0 0
Mountmellick,		1			1	12 0 0
WESTMEATH						
Mullingar		1			1	15 0 0
WEXFORD						
Enniscorthy,		1			1	20 13 0
Gorey,		1			1	12 0 0
Wexford		2	5	13	20	109 14 0
WEXFORD and KILKENNY						
New Ross,		2	2		4	100 0 0
WICKLOW						
Wicklow,		1	1		2	82 0 0
Total,		47	19	49	115	3,514 0 7
MUNSTER						
CLARE						
Ennis		1			1	20 0 0
CORK						
Bandon		1	3		4	57 4 0
Clonakilty,		1	1		2	36 16 0
Fermoy,			4		4	85 10 0
Kinsale,		1			1	30 8 6
Mallow,		1			1	13 4 0
Midleton,		1	1		2	20 0 0
Queenstown,		1	3		4	135 10 0
Skibbereen,		1	2		3	53 4 6
Youghal		1	1*		2	27 0 0
CORK City,		7	2		9	478 12 0
KERRY						
Killarney,		1			1	52 0 0
Tralee,	1	1	6	2	10	262 10 0
LIMERICK						
Rathkeale,		1			1	17 10 0
LIMERICK City						—
TIPPERARY						
Cashel		1	2		3	50 10 0
Fethard,		1	1		2	9 0 0
Nenagh,		1			1	12 0 0
Templemore,		1			1	0 12 6
Thurles		2			2	45 10 0
Tipperary						—
TIPPERARY and WATERFORD						
Carrick-on-Suir and Carrickbeg,		1			1	26 0 0
Clonmel (1870),		1	2	1	4	110 12 8
WATERFORD						
Dungarvan,		1			1	20 0 0
Lismore		1			1	5 0 0
WATERFORD City (1869),	3	1	27		31	1 179 0 0
Total,	4	60	55	6	82	2,314 10 6

TOWNS UNDER TOWN COUNCILS AND TOWN COMMISSIONERS IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES.	Superintendents, Inspectors, and Head Constables.	Officers of Health and Inspectors of Nuisances	Constables, Town Bailiffs, and Watchmen.	Fire Brigade.	Total.	Total Cost.
						£ s. d
ULSTER.						
ANTRIM						
Antrim,		1			1	10 0 0
Ballymena		2			2	100 0 0
Ballymoney			1		1	20 0 0
Larne		1			1	34 0 0
ANTRIM and DOWN						
Belfast	1	8	2	24	35	1,427 10 7
Lisburn	3	2	8		13	137 19 6
ARMAGH						
Armagh,		1	4		5	97 12 0
Keady		1	1		2	15 0 0
Lurgan,		1			1	46 0 0
Portadown		1			1	44 0 0
Tandragee,		1			1	5 0 0
CARRICKFERGUS, County of Town						—
CAVAN						
Belturbet,		1	2		3	74 1 0
Cavan,		1			1	20 0 0
Cootehill,		1			1	18 0 0
DONEGAL						
Ballyshannon						—
Letterkenny,		1			1	12 0 0
DOWN						
Banbridge		1	1	1	3	80 0 0
Bangor		1			1	12 10 0
Downpatrick		1			1	0 0 0
Dromore,						—
Gilford,		1			1	20 0 0
Holywood						—
Newtownards,		1			1	26 0 0
DOWN and ARMAGH						
Newry,		3			3	101 0 0
FERMANAGH						
Enniskillen		4			4	139 6 0
LONDONDERRY						
Coleraine		1		3	4	137 8 0
Newtownlimavady,						—
LONDONDERRY City		2	4		0	227 0 0
MONAGHAN						
Ballybay		2			2	14 18 0
Carrickmacross,		1			1	0 15 0
Castleblayney,		1			1	20 0 0
Clones		1			1	0 3 10
Monaghan,			3	1	0	98 15 0
TYRONE						
Aughnacloy,		1			1	13 15 0
Cookstown,		1			1	20 0 0
Dungannon,		2	3		5	65 12 0
Omagh		1	1		2	41 19 0
Strabane,	1	1	2		4	109 12 0
Total,	6	49	32	28	115	3,256 8 11
CONNAUGHT						
GALWAY						
Loughrea,		1			1	24 0 0
Tuam,		1			1	14 10 0
GALWAY, Town of,		1	6		7	166 8 0
GALWAY and ROSCOMMON						
Ballinasloe,		1			1	20 16 0
MAYO						
Castlebar,		1			1	0 0 0
Westport,		1			1	20 0 0
MAYO and SLIGO						
Ballina,		1			1	20 0 0
ROSCOMMON						
Boyle,		1			1	12 0 0
Roscommon,		1			1	24 10 0
ROSCOMMON and WESTMEATH						
Athlone,		1			1	10 0 0
SLIGO						
Sligo,		2	3		5	110 12 0
Total		12	9		21	433 14 0
TOTAL of IRELAND,	9	138	116	61	343	10 120 1 6

* Watchmen paid by voluntary subscriptions, except £1 from local rates

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POLICE TABLE 4.—CRIMINAL CLASSES.—RETURN of the NUMBER of known DEPREDATORS, OFFENDERS, and SUSPECTED PERSONS at Large, within the JURISDICTION of each POLICE DISTRICT in IRELAND, in the Month of April, 1872, and of the HOUSES THEY FREQUENT.

PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	NUMBER OF KNOWN DEPREDATORS, OFFENDERS, AND SUSPECTED PERSONS AT LARGE.																NUMBER OF HOUSES OF BAD CHARACTER						
	Known Thieves and Depredators *				Receivers of Stolen Goods.				Suspected Persons.				Total.				Houses of Receivers of Stolen Goods.	Resort of Thieves and Prostitutes.			Brothels and Houses of Ill Fame.	Houses of known or suspected Bad Character	Total.
	Under 16 years		16 years and above.		Under 16 years.		16 years and above.		Under 16 years.		16 years and above.		Under 16 years.		16 years and above.			Public-houses.	Beer-shops.	Coffee-shops.			
	M.†	W.†	M	W.	M	W.	M	W	M	W	M	W.	M	W	M	W							
LEINSTER.																							
CARLOW																							
Bagenalstown,			1							2	7	3		2	8	2						1	1
Borris	1												1		1								
Carlow,	2		33	4			3				5	1	2		41	3	3					32	35
Tullow,			2								7	3			9	3						1	1
Total,	3		36	4			3			2	19	7	3	2	58	11	3					34	37
DROGHEDA, Town of	3		35	19			9	12	11	3	19	15	14	2	88	37	12					14	29
DUBLIN County (part of):																							
Balbriggan,			4	3			2			1	12	5		1	18	9	3					11	13
Clontarf,			1								3				3								
Lucan	1		1								16	9	1		17	9						1	1
Rathfarnham,											18	1			18	1						1	1
Swords,			11	2			2	1			9	17			22	20	2		1		2	5	10
Total,	1		17	9			4	1		1	55	29	1	1	78	39	4		1		2	18	25
DUBLIN City (and part of County) Metropolitan Police District—Divisions																							
A, City S.W.,	2		83	48			1	1			29	13	2		103	62	1				18	12	30
B, ,, S.E.	1		14	5					2	3	14	7	3	3	33	15					22	12	34
C, ,, N.E.			17	22							22	13			39	35					37	13	50
D, ,, N.W. & Rural,‡	9	2	103	177							91	22	9	2	194	199			4	19	17	10	41
E, ,, S. and Rural,§			4						4		14	2	4		18	2					2		2
F, ,, Rural ‖			19	9							7	1			17	7						1	1
Total,	12	2	230	264			1	1	6	3	129	58	18	5	365	333	1		4	19	114	48	177
KILDARE																							
Athy,			7	3			1	2	2		5	3	2		13	13						3	3
Carragh,																					3		3
Kildare,			1						3		11	5	3		11	6							
Leixlip	2		3	1							8	1	2		8	2						2	2
Naas			4	1							7				11	1							
Robertstown,			2	1			1	1			11	2			13	4	1		1			2	4
Total,	2		19	7			2	3	5		49	16	7		81	26	1		1		3	7	12
KILKENNY																							
Callan							1	2	2		11	4	2		12	6	2				1	9	12
Castlecomer			4								15	5			19	5							
Gowran				1							11	1			11	1						3	3
Johnstown,			4	3					1		19	2	1		22	11						7	7
Kilkenny,	4		4	0			2	1			10	13	4		21	22	3	2				8	13
Piltown,									4	2	5	2	4	0	9	3							
Thomastown,			1								13	4			14	4	2					2	4
Total	4		13	13			3	3	7	2	88	37	11	5	194	65	7	2	1		1	29	39
KING'S COUNTY																							
Edenderry,			1	1			2	1	2		14	7	3		17	9	3		1			3	3
Ferbane,											22	1			22	1						2	2
Frankford,			1													1							
Parsonstown,							1									1	1						1
Shinrone											6	1			8	1							
Tullamore,			1								17				17	1						4	4
Total,			1	2			3	2	2		59	9	3		82	14	4					13	17
LONGFORD																							
Ballymahon,	1		1	1							11	4	1		13	5			1			4	4
Drumlish,											6	2			6	2							
Granard,			1						1		32	13	1		33	13						9	9
Longford,			3	4	2	1	5	2			14	13	3	1	24	16	7					9	16
Total,	1		5	5	2	1	5	2	1		52	29	4	1	84	36	7		1			19	29
LOUTH																							
Ardee,			4	2			2				18	10			25	12	3					3	6
Carlingford												2				2						2	2
Dreghoda (Rural),			1	2					1		15		1		16	2							
Dundalk,	4		4	3			2	2	2	2	31	13	7	2	37	21	6	4			3	13	26
Total,	4		9	5			4	2	4	2	64	27	8	2	77	39	9	4			3	18	34
MEATH																							
Athboy,											22				33								
Dulock											2	2			2	2						1	1
Dunshaughlin,			1								1				2								
Kells			1	1			1		1	2	13	4	1	2	17	5						6	6
Longwood,			2								16	1			18	1						8	8
Navan,				1							31	3			31	4						3	3
Slane,	1										22	2	1		22	2						2	2
Trim,											21	2			21	2						7	7
Total,	1		4	2			1		1	2	140	14	2	2	145	16						27	27

* In filling up this Form for 1872 the Police were instructed not to include under the head of "Known Thieves and Depredators" any persons who are known to have been living honestly for one year at least subsequently to their discharge after any conviction, as persons of this class are excluded from the corresponding English Returns.

† Unless otherwise expressed, "Men" or M. standing for it includes "*Boys*" and "Women" or W. standing for it, includes "*Girls*."

‡ D, Rural part—Glasnevin to Castleknock. § E Rural part—Cromlin to Sandymount. ‖ F, Rural—Merrion Old Churchyard to Mount Malpas, Kullincy Hill.

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PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	Number of known Depredators, Offenders, and Suspected Persons at Large																Number of Houses of Bad Character					
	Known Thieves and Depredators				Receivers of Stolen Goods.				Suspected Persons.				Totals.				Houses of Receivers of Stolen Goods.	Resort of Thieves and Prostitutes.			Brothels and Houses of Ill Fame.	Other Houses of known or suspected Bad Character.	Total.
	Under 16 years.		16 years and above.		Under 16 years.		16 years and above.		Under 16 years.		16 years and above.		Under 16 years		16 years and above.			Public-houses	Beer-shops	Coffee-shops			
	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.							
LEINSTER—*continued.*																							
QUEEN'S COUNTY																							
Abbeyleix,			1	2			1																
Ballickmoyler,									2	1	13	4	3	1	15	6	1						1
Maryborough,			6	2			3	1			9	1			21	5	4						
Mountmellick,			2	1			1	1			6	6			9	3	2				2		6
Mountrath,											7	2			1	2	4				2		5
Rathdowney,			1								1	1			2	1							6
Total,			12	5			5	2	2	1	31	16	3	1	54	23	11				1		18
WESTMEATH:																							
Ballyncargy,				1																			
Castlepollard,	3	2	1	4							1	2			1	6							
Delvin,			1	1									3	2	1	4							
Glasson,											4				5	1							
Kilbeggan,									1		13	4		1	13	4	7				1		8
Monte,											10				10								
Mullingar,			1	3	1		1		1		3	2	1		4	2	2				6		8
							6	7	7		31	11	3		41	27	17				7		26
Total,	3	2	3	8	1		13	7	3	1	91	25	12	3	80	41	24				14		30
WEXFORD																							
Arthurstown,											11	2			17	2					2		2
Enniscorthy,			4	2							11	6			21	10					16		16
Gorey,									1		23	2		1	28	3							3
New Ross,			2	1			2	2			6	16			13	19	2			2			10
Newtownbarry,			1								15	8			16	3					16		16
Taghmon,									2		6	4	2		6	4							
Wexford,	1		8								66	16	1		44	10	3	6			16		32
Total,	1		16	2			2	2	2	1	123	50	3	1	140	56	5	6		2	61		11
WICKLOW																							
Arklow,			2						1		13	6	1		16	3					12		12
Baltinglass,	1										12	3	1		12	3							
Blessington,			3	2											6	2							
Bray,				1							12	3			12	4					1		1
Enniskerry,											3	4			3	4							
Wicklow,											7				7						4		4
Total,	1		5	3					1		41	16	2		52	16					11		17
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	63	4	462	342	3	1	51	41	63	26	838	549	61	25	1361	725	83	9	6	16	126	626	865
MUNSTER																							
CLARE																							
Ballyvaughan,											5				5								
Corrofin,	3	1	3	1			1	1			5	2	3	1	9	4	1				1		1
Ennis,	2		4	3			3	4			16	1	2		16	13	6	1					8
Kilmaleyman,	1		6	2			1	2	2	2	6	7	3	2	22	12	10	2			2		17
Killimy-Ard,													1		1								
Kilrahee,			1				2	2			16				13	2	3						12
Kilrush,			1				3	1	3		7	3	3		11	4	3				1		10
Six mile bridge											6	2			6	2					2		4
Tulla,											7				7								
Total,	6	1	15	6			10	10	5	2	59	15	12	3	80	33	23	3			4	29	59
CORK EAST RIDING:																							
Bandonbridge,			1	1							11	2			12	4					2		2
Charleville,			2	1							7	1			3	2					2		2
Fermoy,	1		18	2			1	1			8	7	1		26	10	2				16		18
Glanmire,											15		1		15								
Kanturk,			2				1	2	1	1	26	7		1	29	9	1						1
Kinsale			1	2							13	5			11	3				1	1		2
Mallow,											14	4			14	4	2	3		1	3		14
Middleton,			1	4							14	16	2		16	16	1	4			7		12
Mitchelstown,			3				1	1	2						3								
Passage			6	7							11	3			18	10	1	1			3		1
Queenstown,			5	6			1	6			34	18			30	27	4	2		2	7		17
Youghal,			1								16	3			19	3					4	1	13
Total,	1		40	24			6	7	3	1	188	81	4	1	264	92	11	13		3	57	89	81
CORK, WEST RIDING:																							
Bandon,			6	5			4	6	4	3	15	11	4	6	25	28							
Bantry,	1		1	2			6				10	6	1		16	8	5	2	1		10		13
Castletown,			1						1		7	4	1		8	4		3			4		11
Clonakilty			1	1					1		4	2	1		5	2					4		4
Dunmanway,			3								4	6			1	3							
Macroom,	1										5		1		5								
Skibbereen,				2					4		4	6	4		4	5							
Skull,									2		1		2		7								
Total,	2		12	10			9	6	12	3	56	35	14	3	77	51	5	4			22		41

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PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT—	Number of known Depredators, Offenders, and Suspected Persons at Large																Number or Houses or Bad Character						
	Known Thieves and Depredators.				Receivers of Stolen Goods				Suspected Persons.				Total.				Houses of Receivers of Stolen Goods	Resort of Thieves and Prostitutes			Houses of Ill Fame	Other Houses of known or suspected Bad Character	Total.
	Under 16 years.		16 years and above.		Under 16 years		16 years and above		Under 16 years.		16 years and above		Under 16 years		16 years and above.			Public-houses.	Beer-shops.	Coffee-shops.			
	M.	W	M.	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W							
MUNSTER—*continued.*																							
CORK City—																							
North District,	6		19	15			5	6	5	2	16	11	3	2	40	34	4					16	14
South District,	6	2	33	42			7	13	8	3	26	11	11	12	69	72	6	0			22	13	42
Total,	12	6	52	51			12	21	13	5	45	28	26	14	109	106	12	9	—	—	22	23	66
KERRY—																							
Cahirciveen,			2	3							3				5	3						1	1
Dingle,											2	1			2	1						5	5
Kenmare,									1		4		1		4							2	2
Killarney,	13	4	5	5			3	3	6	6	20	4	16	7	31	13	0					6	12
Killorglin			1	1					6	2			6	2	1	1							
Listowel				2							10	5			10	7							
Tralee,	11		7	13					15	10	33	29	26	10	40	42						14	14
Total	24	4	15	25			3	3	27	21	73	39	48	25	93	71	0					34	46
LIMERICK—																							
Adare,											6	6			6	6						2	2
Bruff			1	2			1	2		1	13	6		1	15	1	2					8	10
Caherconlish,			3	1							17				20	1						2	2
Cappamore,			1	1			3		4		14	5	4		16	6	6					16	22
Castleconnell,											7				7								
Glin									1		4		1		4							1	1
Kilfinane											16	2			16	2						3	3
Limerick (Rural)							1	1	1	1	6	2	1	1	6	3						1	1
Newcastle											9	6			6	3	1				1	4	6
Rathkeale,			1	1							23	1			24	2						6	6
Total,			6	5			4	3	6	2	111	21	6	2	121	36	0	—	—	—	1	43	53
LIMERICK City,	7	5	11	16	6	3	4	6	16	12	21	16	23	25	36	41	16	1				56	61
TIPPERARY NORTH RIDING—																							
Borrisokane									1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1							
Borrisoleigh,											4				4								
Lorrha,											2				2								
Nenagh	1		2	5			1	1	4		25	6	6		28	14	2	1				6	12
Newport																							
Roscrea			5								26				26							4	4
Templemore	5	1	17	4			13	12	16	16	16	5	16	20	48	31	14	3			1	4	22
Thurles			1	1					1		14	4	1		16	5						6	6
Total,	1	1	25	10	—	—	14	13	18	14	95	18	25	21	130	41	16	4			1	26	44
TIPPERARY SOUTH RIDING—																							
Ballyneety,											3				3								
Cahir			1	1											1	1							
Carrick-on Suir,	1		4	5			1	1			12	13	1		17	19	3	3					5
Cashel,	1		1						1		17	2	2		19	1							
Cloghen,			2								12	1			14	1						1	1
Clonmel							2	5	1		12	8	1		14	13	4	5				6	15
Dundrum																							
Mullinahone,											6	3			6	3						1	1
Tipperary,			5	4			14	6	6	4	18	6	6	4	38	16	14					16	30
Total,	2	—	14	16	—	—	11	14	16	4	77	32	12	4	106	56	20	6	—			27	51
WATERFORD—																							
Ballinamult,											6	3			6	3						2	2
Cappoquin			1								15	2			16	2						3	3
Dungarvan,			1	1							10	4			11	5						2	2
Portlaw,	1		2								1		1		3								
Tramore,	1	1	1	1							6	3	1	1	7	4							
Total,	2	1	5	2							38	13	2	1	43	14						1	1
WATERFORD City	11		12	4					5		26	3	16		46	10	2	1				6	8
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	71	27	210	111	6	3	65	63	103	64	754	265	185	69	1,048	540	114	40	—	0	35	323	512
ULSTER—																							
ANTRIM—																							
Antrim,	6		1						2		13	1	5		14	1	1					2	3
Ballycastle,				1					3	1	2	0	3	1	3	1	2				4	1	7
Ballymena,	1	1	5	6					6	1	21	26	6	3	26	30		1			13	11	25
Ballymoney,											6	3			6	3						2	2
Carrickfergus,	1		3	1					3	2	1		4	2	4	1	1					4	5
Glenarm,			2	4							3	5			5	9	1				1		2
Lisburn,			2	6			1	3	1		15	14	1		19	16	4				7	12	23
Total,	8	1	13	16			1	3	14	4	65	57	18	5	76	10	9	1			25	31	66

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PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN AND POLICE DISTRICT	NUMBER OF KNOWN DEPREDATORS, OFFENDERS AND SUSPECTED PERSONS AT LARGE																NUMBER OF HOUSES OF BAD CHARACTER					
	Known Thieves and Depredators.				Receivers of Stolen Goods.				Suspected Persons.				Total.				Houses of Receivers of Stolen Goods.	Resort of Thieves and Prostitutes			Disorderly and Houses of Ill Fame.	Other Houses of known or suspected Bad Character.	Total.
	Under 16 years.		16 years and above		Under 16 years.		16 years and above		Under 16 years.		16 years and above		Under 16 years.		16 years and above.			Public houses.	Beer-shops.	Coffee-shops.			
	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W							
ULSTER—*continued.*																							
ARMAGH																							
Armagh,	—	—	2	7	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	6	2	—	28	13	4	—	—	—	—	4	12
Crossmaglen	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	3	—	1	1	3	—	2	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	2
Newry	1	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	2	1	7	4	5	1	6	4	—	—	—	—	—	6	6
Newtownhamilton,	1	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	2	1	23	12	3	1	26	14	1	—	—	—	3	7	10
Portadown,	—	1	14	18	—	—	6	11	6	2	27	26	6	3	46	57	15	6	—	—	7	14	42
Total,	2	1	17	26	2	—	14	11	14	4	75	51	23	6	108	90	21	6	—	—	16	33	72
BELFAST, Town of																							
North Division,	7	5	31	12	—	—	16	7	12	4	24	6	19	9	73	25	10	10	4	3	66	13	144
East "	10	—	7	4	—	—	2	4	11	6	1	12	21	6	10	20	4	—	—	—	16	6	16
West "	1	1	23	5	—	—	2	2	4	3	23	44	6	4	48	51	6	1	1	—	13	6	26
Total,	18	6	61	21	—	—	22	13	27	13	48	62	46	19	131	96	20	11	5	3	124	27	186
CARRICKFERGUS, Town of,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	1	—	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
CAVAN																							
Arva,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Ballieborough	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	11	9	—	—	15	10	1	—	—	—	—	19	20
Ballyjamesduff	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	6	0	2	—	11	4	—	—	—	—	—	6	6
Belturbet,	2	—	1	6	—	—	—	1	—	—	18	4	2	—	18	10	1	—	—	—	2	2	5
Cavan	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	2	—	1	3	3	—	—	—	—	1	3	16
Cootehill,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	4	3	—	—	6	4	1	—	—	—	—	1	1
Swanlibar	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Total,	2	—	7	7	—	—	2	2	2	1	61	22	4	1	76	31	3	—	—	—	6	40	46
DONEGAL																							
Ballyshannon,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	6	—	—	9	6	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Buncrana,	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	3	—	—	6	6	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Carndonagh	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Dunfanaghy,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dunglee,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Glenties,	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Killybegs	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	4	1	—	—	6	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	3
Letterkenny,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2
Rameltan,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	3
Raphoe,	—	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	7	7	1	—	6	16	—	—	—	—	1	1	5
Total,	—	—	6	4	—	—	3	2	1	—	46	19	1	—	54	23	3	—	—	—	6	13	21
DOWN																							
Banbridge,	1	—	1	1	—	—	4	6	1	—	16	6	2	—	26	16	13	—	—	—	7	11	28
Downpatrick	1	—	6	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	22	4	3	—	28	4	2	—	—	—	6	7	16
Hillsborough,	3	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	6	2	12	2	0	2	18	4	2	—	—	—	6	6	12
Newcastle	—	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	3	1	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	3	—	3
Newtownards,	2	—	14	11	—	—	6	6	11	6	32	23	18	9	71	50	16	—	1	—	21	31	63
Rathfriland,	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	10	4	2	—	10	4	—	—	—	—	5	2	7
Total,	8	—	26	14	—	—	11	12	21	11	117	43	29	11	153	66	24	—	1	—	47	66	131
FERMANAGH																							
Arney	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	8	4	—	—	6	6	1	—	—	—	—	4	4
Derrygonnelly,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Enniskillen	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	5
Kesh,	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	4	—	—	16	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	6
Lisnaskea,	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	12	3	—	—	16	12	2	—	—	—	—	4	6
Total,	—	—	9	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	48	17	—	—	64	26	3	—	—	—	2	17	22
LONDONDERRY																							
Coleraine,	3	—	1	5	—	—	—	—	3	—	15	9	6	—	16	13	2	—	—	—	6	14	22
Londonderry (Rural)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maghera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Magherafelt	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	1	—	1	8	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	2
Newtownlimavady,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	2
Total	3	—	4	6	—	—	—	—	3	1	32	16	6	1	32	18	2	1	—	—	8	18	29
LONDONDERRY City,	—	—	1	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	12	—	—	16	15	—	4	—	—	11	4	19
MONAGHAN																							
Carrickmacross,	—	—	4	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	0	—	—	11	7	2	—	—	—	—	1	0
Castleblayney	—	—	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	27	5	—	—	40	7	2	—	—	—	5	6	12
Clones,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	2	2	12	13	2	2	13	16	—	—	—	—	—	4	4
Monaghan,	—	—	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	13	—	—	13	23	13	—	—	—	2	12	24
Total	—	—	13	6	—	—	4	4	2	2	66	42	2	2	82	37	14	—	—	—	4	23	43
TYRONE																							
Augnacloy,	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cookstown	1	—	2	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	1	—	5	6	—	—	—	—	2	6	8
Dungannon	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	3	0	—	13	6	—	—	—	—	6	4	6
Newtownstewart,	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	7	0	—	—	11	7	—	—	—	—	—	4	4
Omagh,	1	—	4	7	—	—	—	1	—	—	16	24	10	2	25	36	14	—	—	—	3	16	33
Strabane,	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	7	6	3	13	2	2	1	14	6	2	—	—	—	2	4	6
Total,	2	1	13	17	—	—	2	11	14	2	57	40	13	3	73	66	16	—	—	—	12	38	66
TOTAL OF PROVINCE	40	9	163	116	2	—	66	67	167	38	639	376	146	47	862	661	126	24	6	3	252	308	714

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POLICE TABLE 4.—CRIMINAL CLASSES.—RETURN of the NUMBER of known DEPREDATORS, OFFENDERS, and SUSPECTED PERSONS at Large, within the JURISDICTION of each POLICE DISTRICT in IRELAND, in the Month of April, 1872, and of the HOUSES THEY FREQUENT—*concluded*.

PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	Number of known Depredators, Offenders, and Suspected Persons at Large																Number of Houses of Bad Character							
	Known Thieves and Depredators				Receivers of Stolen Goods				Suspected Persons				Total.				Houses of Receivers of Stolen Goods.	Resort of Thieves and Prostitutes			Brothels and Houses of Ill Fame.	Other Houses of known or suspected Bad Character.	Totals.
	Under 16 years		16 years and above		Under 16 years		16 years and above		Under 16 years		16 years and above		Under 16 years.		16 years and above			Public houses	Beerhouses.	Coffee-shops			
	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W	M.	W.	M	W							
CONNAUGHT																							
GALWAY EAST RIDING																							
Athenry,																							
Ballinasloe			3	5			4	3			5	9			9	17	1						1
Ballygar,											7	3			1	2						5	13
Loughrea,	2		4	5			2	4	2		1	2	2		14	17						4	4
Portumna,									3		9	8	5		26	17	3					3	3
Woodford,									4	1	3	3	4	1	3	3		1				14	15
Total	2		7	11			6	7	9	1	25	25	11	1	53	46	2	1				29	33
GALWAY WEST RIDING																							
Clifden,											8	2			6	3						2	2
Dunmore,											5	1			2	1						4	4
Galway (Rural),											19				10								
Gort,											2	4			3	4				4		3	3
Headford,																				1		1	2
Oughterard											5	1			3	1						1	1
Roundstone,																							
Spiddal,			1	2							9	3			10	3		2			2	4	8
Total			1	2							37	14			29	16		2			2	15	29
GALWAY TOWN OF,			6	10			2	3	2		27	11	2		25	34	3	2		4		12	21
LEITRIM																							
Ballinamore											3	2			2	2						1	1
Carrick on Shannon,				1							1	1			1	1						3	3
Carrigallen							1	1	1		5	2	1		10	3	1					2	3
Drumkeeran,			4								22				23							1	1
Manorhamilton,			1								1				1								
Mohill																							
Total			6	1			1	1	1		32	5	1		38	7	1					9	10
MAYO																							
Ballaghaderreen,							1				7	5			8	8				2		2	4
Ballina	1	1	2	2				2			8	3	1	1	19	7	1				1	2	6
Ballinrobe,											11	2			11	2						1	1
Belmullet,			1	3							11				12								
Castlebar			1	1								1			1	2						3	3
Claremorris,											4				4							2	2
Crossmolina,									2		6				6								
Newport,	1		1	1			1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	4	3	1					2	2
Swinford	3		4	3							3	1	2		7	5				1		2	3
Westport		2	3		2				4		2		2	2	9	2	1				1	2	4
Total,	5	3	12	10	2		2	3	8	3	89	19	12	6	72	29	3			3	2	23	31
ROSCOMMON																							
Athlone,			2	1			1			2	4	1		2	7	5	1					1	1
Boyle			1	1			2	2			25	9			27	14	4	1				3	14
Castlerea,	2		4	2					2		14	6	5		18	3	2					6	4
Elphin			1				1				7				9								
French park															5								
Roscommon								1	1		3	4	1		8	2	1					2	3
Strokestown,											7	1			7	1						1	1
Total,	2		7	4			4	3	4	2	61	21	6	2	72	23	8	1				13	23
SLIGO																							
Ballymote,											6				6								
Easky,			1								12				12					2	1	2	3
Grange,											2				6							2	4
Riverstown,								1			3				3	1						2	2
Sligo,	2	3	6	5			6	4	2	2	8	5	5	3	29	14	5	1				3	9
Tubbercurry,				2			2	3			3	2			5	3	2					2	4
Total,	2	3	7	7			8	8	3	2	41	8	5	3	59	22	8	1		2	1	13	24
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	11	8	46	45	2		23	25	24	8	297	103	37	14	307	173	32	7		9	2	110	173
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	158	46	329	677	13	2	221	219	291	139	2 826	1,115	462	185	3,239	2,008	357	80	17	25	419	1 274	1,957

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PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	NUMBER OF CRIMES COMMITTED					NUMBER OF PERSONS APPREHENDED					DISPOSAL BY THE PERSONS APPREHENDED													
	Jan Feb March	April, May June.	July August, Sept.	Oct. Nov Dec	Total Crimes.	Jan Feb March	April, May June.	July, August, Sept.	Oct Nov Dec	Total Persons.	Total.		Discharged				Bailed.		Bailed for Trial.		Committed for want of Sureties.		Committed for Trial.	
													For want of Evidence.		For want of Prosecution									
											M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
LEINSTER.																								
CARLOW																								
Bagenalstown,	—	2	5	1	8		2	6	1	9	6	2	1	1					2				4	1
Borris	—	1	6	8	6			2	1	3	2								3					
Carlow,	5	3	2	7	17	6	3	2	7	17	14	3							8		1	1	5	2
Tullow,	10	3	1	2	16	13	3	1	2	19	18	1	1						6		1		7	1
Total,	15	6	11	18	56	13	6	10	11	47	41	3	1	1					22		2	1	16	4
DROGHEDA, Town of	1		4	5	10	1	—	4	4	5	7	2	2	1					1				4	1
DUBLIN County (part of)																								
Balbriggan,	3	2	3	8	16	2	1	1	6	13	10	3	3	1					1	1			6	1
Clontarf,	3	8	6	7	27	2	3	12	3	20	11	3	2				1		5	1			9	2
Lucan	7	7	6		20	6	7	5		18	15	1	4		3				3	1			6	
Rathfarnham,	0	3	3	1	16	2	1	6		6	7	1	1		1				1				4	1
Swords,		1	5	6	8		1	4	6	10	3	2	—						2				6	2
Total,	13	21	23	21	86	12	13	28	17	67	57	10	13	1	4		1		12	3			30	6
DUBLIN City (and part of County) Metropolitan Police District—																								
Divisions—																								
A City S.W.,	208	242	203	236	890	113	123	174	30	454	226	150	66	60	24	40	6	2	28	11	1	1	101	52
B, City S.E.,	235	269	297	823	930	61	55	106	66	288	248	132	74	35	75	63	6	2	10	7	2	1	70	38
C, City N.E.,	250	232	268	267	1,053	77	102	112	89	380	218	162	66	46	50	40	13	8	21	6	2		66	56
D City N.W., and Rural*	267	190	221	200	827	84	107	166	71	362	207	165	51	47	66	66	4	2	17	3		2	76	36
E S. and Rural †	104	114	124	131	473	26	30	29	27	114	75	33	21	5	20	11	2	1	6	4			27	17
F, Rural ‡	40	46	65	62	213	10	17	13	14	54	43	11	11	6	16	4	4		2	—	1		9	2
Total,	1 044	1 097	1 139	1 121	4 461	363	473	474	323	1 744	1,090	654	286	196	230	224	36	16	83	33	6	4	349	197
KILDARE																								
Athy	6	6	13	14	39	6	3	6	12	28	20	6			1	1	1		1	1			13	5
Curragh,	4	2	5	4	15	5	1	2	1	9	7	2											7	2
Kildare,	3	2	6	4	14	3	3	4	4	13	8	6							1	1			7	4
Leixlip	5	4	6	2	17	2	4	6	2	14	13	1	4				2		1				9	1
Naas,	5	9	7	6	24	7	14	6	4	31	27	4	2				1		13	1			11	3
Robertstown,	6	1	1	1	8	2	1		6	9	6	1	1						1	1			3	
Total,	29	21	38	30	114	27	26	23	29	101	66	21	7	1	1	1	3		17	4			52	15
KILKENNY County and City—																								
Callan	1		1	7	9	1			1	2	1	1							1					1
Castlecomer,	7	7	16	17	41	9	3	6	14	32	32		6						16				10	
Gowran	6	3	6		14	3	1	4		8	7	1	3						2		1		1	1
Johnstown,	4	6	2	4	13	2	2	2	6	12	7	3	2	1					4				1	2
Kilkenny §	1	1	1		3	1	2	1		4	2	1	2										1	1
Piltown,	2	1	1	2	6				1	3	3								3					
Thomastown,	2	5	2	2	11	3	0		2	16	6	2	3		1				1				6	2
Total,	22	26	23	32	67	19	13	15	32	80	61	8	16	1	1				27		1		15	7
KING'S County—																								
Edenderry	2				2	1			1	1									1					
Ferbane	1		3	2	5	1		0	7	16	15	1	5						7	1			3	
Frankford,	2	2		3	9	1			0	4	2	2							3					2
Parsonstown,		1	1	4	6		1	2		3	2	1											2	1
Shinrone	3	5	4	1	13	1	0	5	1	15	12	3	2	1					10					2
Tullamore,	22	6	3	6	46	5	6	6	2	21	16	5	5	1	1		0	0	1				0	4
Total,	30	17	16	18	81	12	10	20	13	66	46	12	12	2	1		3		31	1			11	9
LONGFORD																								
Ballymahon	6	5	6	6	23	1		1	2	4	4		2								1		1	
Drumlish,	11	17	1	5	34	14	20	1	3	38	32	6	7		2				21	6			2	
Granard	2	2	2	6	12	2		1	15	18	17	1	4						6		1		4	1
Longford	6	2	5	4	21	6	1	6	2	17	16	1	1		1				6	1			8	
Total,	25	26	16	21	90	23	21	11	22	77	69	8	14		3				35	7	2		15	1
LOUTH:																								
Ardee	12	3	3	5	22	12	4	2	1	19	17	2	6						5				7	2
Carlingford,	6	1	2	3	9	1	1	4	1	7	7								6				2	
Dreghéda (Rural),		1	1		2	1	1	1		3	2				1								1	
Dundalk	5	6	4	6	21	6	5	4	2	21	18	5			1	1			12	2			3	2
Total,	24	12	2	0	54	19	12	11	4	48	43	7	6		2	1			23	2			13	4
MEATH																								
Athboy	2	1	1		4		2	1		6	5		2						1					
Dulcek,	1		6	1	8			6	1	7	4	2		1					1	1			3	1
Dunshaughlin,		3	5	1	7	1	1	3	1	6	4	1							5				1	1
Kells,	0	2	2	7	25	5	3	7	5	20	13	7	4	1					5	3			4	4
Longwood,	4	2	4	1	11	4	1	6	1	11	10	1	6	1					0				1	
Navan,	3	2	2	0	12	2	1	1		4	3								1				3	
Slane,		2	2	0	2		2	3		12	11	1	3						2	1			1	
Trim,	1	2		5	8	1	2	1	3	7	7								1				6	
Total,	15	14	28	21	78	12	16	27	11	69	59	13	20	3					17	4			16	6

* D, Rural part—Glasnevin to Castleknock.

† E S and Rural—Crumlin to Sandymount.

‡ F, Rural—Merrion Old Church yard to Mount Malpas, Killiney Hill.

§ Kilkenny District includes the county of the city of Kilkenny and part of the county of Kilkenny

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PROVINCE, COUNTY COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN AND POLICE DISTRICT	NUMBER OF CRIMES COMMITTED.					NUMBER OF PERSONS APPREHENDED.					DISPOSAL OF THE PERSONS APPREHENDED.													
											TOTAL.		Discharged				Dailed.		Bailed for Trial		Committed for want of Sureties.		Committed for Trial	
													For want of Evidence.		For want of Prosecution.									
	Jan Feb March	April, May, June	July, August, Sept	Oct Nov Dec	Total Crimes	Jan. Feb. March	April May June	July August Sept.	Oct Nov Dec.	Total Persons.	M	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W.	M	W	M.	W.	M	W
LEINSTER—*continued*																								
QUEEN'S COUNTY																								
Abbeyleix	1	2	5	1	9	.	2	6	2	9	7	2	2	1					1		1		2	1
Ballickmoyler,*	4	3	2	1	11	2	1	2	1	6	4	2	6						1	1				1
Maryborough,*	2	7	5	2	18	5	4	6	2	12	17	2	1						13	1			6	1
Mountmellick	6	1	2	4	13	4	1	1	4	10	9	1	.			6			5				2	1
Mountrath	2	4	2	3	11	2	3	2	4	12	16	2							6				4	6
Rathdowney	2	.	1	2	5	3	.		4	7	7		1				1		4				1	
Total,	18	17	18	14	67	16	13	17	17	62	54	9	7	1	2		1		27	2	1		16	6
WESTMEATH																								
Ballynacargy	1	2		5	8	2	2		1	5	4	1							2	1	2			
Castlepollard	5	7	2	3	17	2		1	2	5	5		1						1				3	
Delvin	3	2	6	4	11	3		2	1	6	6		2						9				1	
Glasson	4	6	4	5	21	1	11	1	10	23	21	2							13	2			2	
Kilbeggan	20	7	6	4	34	2	2	6	4	14	12		6		1				6		2			
Moate	4	6	4	3	17		3	6	3	12	6	3	1		1			1	2				2	3
Mullingar	2	4	2	2	10	1	2	1	1	5	5								2				2	
Total,	36	36	17	26	118	11	21	11	22	65	59	6	10		2		1	1	23	3	4		10	3
WEXFORD																								
Arthurstown	1	.	3	.	4	1	.	2		4	4	.							2				2	
Enniscorthy	1	4	5	6	12	2	2	4	1	9	6		2						3				4	
Gorey	.	1	6	2	9	.	1	11	1	13	10	3	3	2									2	
New Ross	2	6	7	1	16	2	6	7		15	7	4	1						1				1	3
Newtownbarry	3	1	1	1	6	2	.	2	2	6	5	1	1						1				3	1
Tagheen	2	.	1	1	4	3	.	1		4	2												3	
Wexford	7	6	2	4	22	6	12	2	2	24	16	8	6	3					1				10	5
Total,	16	17	26	11	70	15	16	36	7	76	54	16	12	6			11	2	8				25	8
WICKLOW																								
Arklow	16	2	12	2	27	9	2	12	3	26	22	4	1				.		15		.		3	4
Baltinglass	4	2	1	1	8	1	1		1	3	2	1		1			1				1			
Blessington	1		3		4	1				1	1								1					
Bray	13	6	2	12	31	5	6	4	10	25	13	7		2			.		7	1			11	1
Glenbeigh	1		1	4	6	1		1	3	5	1								1				6	
Wicklow	2	3	1		6	2	1			3	3								6		.			
Total,	26	12	21	20	81	19	10	17	22	66	56	12	1	3			1		27	1	1		20	5
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	1,224	1 316	1 394	1,201	5 461	597	676	696	533	2 502	1,774	784	492	269	386	223	66	18	336	57	17	5	599	295
MUNSTER.																								
CLARE																								
Ballyvaughan	.	1	3	3	7		1	1	3	5	5	.	1				.						4	
Corrofin	0	6	1	4	17	2	1	0	5	8	9		2						3				.	
Ennis	4	7	9	16	36	4	7	3	16	30	20	16	6	2			4	2	1	2			8	1
Ennistymon	2		2		7	4	.	3		7	7		1						4				2	
Killadysart	2	4	2		9	2	4	2		8	7	1		1	1								1	
Kilrush	2	2		2	16	8	2		5	16	8	3	1		2		3	1	1	1			1	
Kilrush	5	4	6	3	18	5	6	2	2	15	14	1	2						6	1			6	
Sixmilebridge	4	1	7	6	18	2	1	6	4	11	6	3	1	1					4	1			3	1
Tulla	3	2	6	6	18	7	.	3	6	20	17	6							11	2	1		5	
Total,	34	24	39	38	128	36	21	20	31	111	91	26	14	7	6		7	3	35	8	1		38	2
CORK EAST RIDING																								
Ballincollig	.	.	14	6	18	.	.	12	1	12	11	2					2	1					2	1
Charleville	11	4	6	2	22	11	4	5	1	21	20	1	4						6				16	1
Fermoy	2	2	6	8	23	6	12	5	11	31	27	4	6	1					6	1			16	2
Glanmire	1	2	1	1	5	1	3	.	2	5	3	3	1	1						1			2	
Kanturk	7	6	1	2	16	6	7	.	.	13	12	1	.				1		5				6	1
Kinsale	3	3	6	.	10	3	6	6	.	12	12								4				8	
Mallow	8	8	4	6	21	1	10	1	4	25	24	1	3	1			2	.	7		.		6	
Middleton	1	1	4	4	10	1	1	4	2	8	6								1				7	
Mitchelstown	2	1	2	6	12	5	1	2	12	20	16	4	2	2					6	1			8	1
Passage	6	1	4	2	12	4	2	2	1	7	6	1	2						2				1	1
Queenstown	12	3	4	16	39	12	3	4	10	29	24	5							2				22	5
Youghal	8	2	4	3	12	5	6	6	2	14	12	2							6	1	1		2	1
Total,	59	41	55	48	164	59	58	44	46	198	175	23	22	6			12	1	40	4	1		80	12
CORK, WEST RIDING																								
Bandon	1	2	3	1	6	1	6	2	1	8	8		6		2				3		.		3	
Bantry	8	4	2	3	17	6	2	1	4	12	12								5		.		2	
Castletown	.	.	.	2	2	.			2	2	2		.						1				1	
Clonakilty	4	6	2	6	14	4	2	2	6	14	12	1	.						13	1			2	
Dunmanway	6	12	4	16	32	4	16	6	10	35	32	2	5		2		1		20	1	.		5	1
Macroom	16	4	6	2	28	16	4	6	1	27	29	1	3	1					12	.			3	
Skibbereen	2	3	6	6	16	2	2	7	4	15	14	1	1						6	.			6	1
Skull	1	1	2	1	5	1	1	3	3	8	7	1	2						4	1	.			
Total,	38	32	29	26	120	32	21	30	30	124	113	6	17	1	4		1		74	2	.		26	2

* Stradbally District abolished 1st March 1871, and its subdistricts added to Ballickmoyler and Maryborough Districts

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PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN AND POLICE DISTRICT.	NUMBER OF CRIMES COMMITTED.					NUMBER OF PERSONS APPREHENDED.					DISPOSAL OF THE PERSONS APPREHENDED.													
	Jan. Feb. March.	April. May. June.	July. August. Sept.	Oct. Nov. Dec.	Total Crimes.	Jan. Feb. March.	April. May. June.	July. August. Sept.	Oct. Nov. Dec.	Total Persons.	Total.		Discharged. For want of Evidence.		Discharged. For want of Prosecution.		Bailed.		Bailed for Trial.		Committed for want of Sureties.		Committed for Trial.	
											M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
MUNSTER—continued.																								
CORK CITY.																								
North District,	12	18	26	22	78	11	18	27	24	80	56	30			1				10	4	6		28	25
South "	23	23	53	23	120	25	24	37	27	133	77	56	4	6	1	4	1			1			71	42
Total,	35	41	79	45	200	36	42	64	51	213	137	26	4	6	1	4	1		10	5	2		103	68
KERRY:																								
Cahirciveen,	2	1	1		4	2	1		1	4	3	1	2											1
Dingle,		1	2	1	4		1	6	4	11	11		4		1								6	
Kenmare,	2	4	2	4	12	2	4	2	6	14	11	3							7	2			4	
Killorney,	2	14	12	5	33	2	11	18	4	35	26	8	3						21	2			6	
Kilorglin,	3	5	3	6	12	2	6	2	7	18	17	2			2				8				6	1
Listowel,	5	4	11	2	22	6	3	7	1	16	14	2	1				1		6	1			5	1
Tralee,	6	11	11	7	36	12	11	12	4	40	26	13	1						7				6	2
Total,	23	40	41	27	131	26	41	48	24	137	114	28	11		3		1		59	3	1	2	30	12
LIMERICK:																								
Adare,		3	2	1	6		3	1		4	4		2		1									
Bruff,	1	2	2	4	9	1	2	1	4	8	7	1	2		2			1	1				3	
Cahercalla,	6	5	1	6	17	2	3		7	12	10	2	3	1	2				4				1	1
Cappamore,	3	6	6	4	19	2	11	2	5	24	21	6	2		2		4		11	1			2	2
Castleconnell,	1		1	1	3	1		2	4	7	6	1	2						4					1
Glin,	6	3	2		11	2	1	1		5	3								1		1		1	
Kilfinane,	6	6	7	5	24	7	7	6	4	24	21	3	3	1	1		1		11		1		4	2
Limerick (Rural),	4	4	2		10		2	2		4	2	2					1		1					2
Newcastle,	5		3	3	11	11		3	3	17	17		6		3				7				1	3
Rathkeale,	2	6	6	1	14	2	2			4	1	3											1	
Total,	33	31	34	25	106	27	31	23	27	107	92	15	21	2	11		6	1	40	1	2		12	11
LIMERICK City,	18	4	22	14	58	16	3	24	14	57	42	15	5				1		6	3			30	12
TIPPERARY, NTH RIDING:																								
Borrisokane,	2	3	1	3	9	2	2		6	10	3	6	4	1									4	1
Borrisoleigh,	2	2	3	2	12	6	2	4	3	13	11	2	4					1	5				2	
Ferrita,	2	1	1		4		1	3		4	4								4					
Nenagh,	1	3	6		10	1	12	5		18	17	1	2	1	2				16				3	
Newport,	6	5	1	4	16	16	3	1	4	24	22	6	4	1	1				14				3	1
Roscrea,	2	1	1	2	6	1	2	1	1	5	5		1						3				1	
Templemore,	1	2	3	4	10	1	3	3	5	12	12		3						8					
Thurles,	7	5	4	4	20	3	4	6	4	22	21	1	4				1		12				3	1
Total,	25	23	19	19	86	32	29	26	23	107	100	7	22	2	3		1	1	55				19	3
TIPPERARY, STH. RIDING:																								
Ballynonty,	2	4	2		8		3	1		4	3	1	2			1								
Cahir,	2		6	1	9	2	4	1	7	7	7												1	
Carrick-on-Suir,		3	6	3	12		3	5	1	9	6	3											7	
Coshel,	1	2	1	4	8	1	2	1	1	5	5												6	3
Cloghecs,	1	6			4		3			3	2	1							2	1			5	
Clonmel,	4	3	4	7	18	4	6	6	4	16	12	4												
Dundrum,	5	2	4	4	15	11	4	6	5	26	22	6	6	4					11		6	2	12	4
Mullinahone,	6	4	3	2	14	17	5	2		24	19	5							16	5			3	
Tipperary,	5	2	4	12	23	5	1	5	24	35	27	8	9	2	1				12				5	5
Total,	25	28	30	33	116	46	24	31	36	137	103	26	17	7	1	1			25	6	2	2	40	12
WATERFORD:																								
Ballinamult,			1	1	2			1		1	1													
Cappoquin,	3	1	7	2	13	2	2	4	6	10	6	4	1										1	
Dungarvan,	2	2	4	1	9	1	3	4	1	9	6	6	1						1	3			4	1
Portlow,	2	4	6	3	14	2	3	5		10	6	1							1				4	3
Tramore,	1		4	1	6			6	1	4	3	1							4				5	1
Total,	8	7	22	7	44	5	8	17	4	34	28	8	2						6	3			17	6
WATERFORD City,	3	6	7	6	22	3	16	7	6	28	18	3	4	2	1	1			5				6	5
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	277	270	676	393	1,222	295	288	357	282	1,245	1,005	246	146	36	60	6	26	6	377	41	9	6	416	146
ULSTER.																								
ANTRIM:																								
Antrim,	2	1	1	1	6	6		1	3	10	8	2							4				4	3
Ballycastle,		1	4	3	8		1	5		6	5	1	5										2	1
Ballymena,	6	2	9	3	18	4	1	5	1	11	16	4							8	6			2	1
Ballymoney,	2	1	2	2	7	2		6	2	10	6	3	2						3	3			2	1
Carrickfergus,	4		4	3	11	4		4	2	10	9	1	4	1			1		1				3	
Glenarm,																								
Lisburn,	2	3	5	3	13	1	4	5	3	13	6	4	2										7	4
Total,	16	8	25	15	64	17	6	29	11	63	49	14	11	1			1		16	5			21	8

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PROVINCE COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	NUMBER OF CRIMES COMMITTED					NUMBER OF PERSONS APPREHENDED					DISPOSAL OF THE PERSONS APPREHENDED													
	Jan. Feb. March.	April, May, June.	July, August, Sept.	Oct. Nov. Dec.	Total Crimes.	Jan. Feb. March.	April May June.	July, August, Sept.	Oct. Nov. Dec.	Total Persons.	TOTAL.		Discharged. For want of Evidence		Discharged. For want of Prosecution		Bailed		Bailed for Trial		Committed for want of Sureties.		Committed for Trial	
											M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W
ULSTER—*continued.*																								
ARMAGH																								
Armagh	1	2	6	7	16	1	3	16	14	28	22	2					1		12				2	6
Cressenglen,	1	8	7	4	20	1	6	5	9	21	19	2					1	1	14	—	1	—	6	1
Newry *	7	1	5	2	12	15	2	16	2	35	33		16						23		1		2	
Newtownhamilton,	6	5	6	11	21	12	7	11	15	45	28	7	3	2					61	4			4	1
Portadown,	7	6	14	7	25	10	6	16	6	42	40	2	2						24	1			13	1
Total,	25	24	36	31	116	39	27	62	46	174	157	17	16	2			2	1	136	5	2		24	5
BELFAST, TOWN OF,	24	27	36	11	62	24	27	30	11	92	77	15	—	—	—	—							77	15
CARRICKFERGUS, TOWN OF,			1		1			1		1	1	—	—	—					1					
CAVAN																								
Arva,	11	1	5	6	23	11	1	5	7	24	23	1							63	1				
Ballieborough	2	7	1	1	12	3	6	2	1	12	10	2				1			6	1	1		5	1
Ballyjamesduff	2	5	2	3	10	5	3	2	3	13	11	2					1		7	1	6		1	1
Bellurbet,	7	2		7	16	6	2	—	4	12	10	2				2			7	1			1	1
Cavan	6	3	7		16	7	2	5	—	15	14	1	1						11		1		1	1
Cootehill,	2	1	5	6	14	2	1	4	6	13	12	1				2			8	1			2	
Swanlubar,	6	2	6		10	15	10	20		54	53	1	1						62	2			1	
Total,	37	19	22	23	101	49	35	38	21	143	132	11	2			5			12		81	7	4	11	4
DONEGAL																								
Ballyhannon,	3	1	4	6	13	6	1	12	5	27	23	4	1						21	3			1	1
Bunarana,	1	1	1	4	7	1	3	1	4	7	7		1						5				2	
Carndonagh,	7	5		1	13	5	4			9	6	1	3						4				1	1
Dunfanaghy,		1	2	4	7		2	2	2	7	4	3		1			1	1	1	1			3	
Dungloe,	1			5	6	1			5	6	6								6					
Glenties	1				1	1				1	1												1	
Killybegs			1	2	3			1	2	3	3								3					
Letterkenny,	3	1	1	1	6	6	1	1	1	9	5	1							1				4	1
Ramelton,	10	7			28	27	4	2		33	31	2	2	1					24	1	4			
Raphoe,	6	3	1	5	22	16	6	2	26	35	28	5	4						18	4			3	1
Total,	46	24	10	25	105	37	16	26	39	134	118	16	11	2				1	85	9	4		20	4
DOWN																								
Banbridge	7	2	8	5	22	11	6	26	4	41	34	7	18	3			2	2	10	1			4	1
Downpatrick,	1	3	1	4	9	1	6	—	3	7	7						5		1				1	
Hillsborough,	7	3	4	3	17	6	3	4	2	16	14	2	6	1	1		1		2				4	1
Newcastle,		4	1	2	8		5	1	3	9	8	1			1				3	1			1	
Newtownards,	6	2	6		7	4	2	2		8	7	1							6				4	1
Rutlandland (except Newry)	2	6	1	1	7	2	2		4	2	2								2	2				
Newry Town and Sub district, *		2	4	2	2		2	4	2	8	7	2	2		1				2				3	2
Total,	26	19	21	16	79	24	23	24	16	94	79	15	26	4	3		3	2	23	4			18	5
FERMANAGH																								
Arney	1	1	1		3	1	3	1		16	16								16					
Derrygonnelly,	4		1	1	6	4		1	1	6	5	1							5	1				
Enniskillen,	2	1	16	1	62	2	1	16	1	22	16	2		1					17				2	2
Kesh			3	2	6			3	3	6	5	1							5	1				
Lisnaskea,	2	6	1	6	16	2	2		7	11	10	1	6						5	1			3	
Total,	9	4	24	13	50	9	11	23	12	55	48	6	2	1					42	6			5	2
LONDONDERRY																								
Coleraine	3	6	3	7	21	4	6	8	9	27	22	5	8	1					15	3			4	1
Londonderry,	6	2	4	3	15	7	2	2	1	12	12	2							5	3			4	2
Magherafelt,		4	6	2	12		2	2	4	8	7	1							4	1			2	1
Maghera	3	5	16	1	27	2	1	15	3	23	23	2	14						11	2			3	2
Newtownlimavady,	2	8	1	1	12	2	16	3	3	18	12	6	2				2		7				2	2
													1						3	3	1	1	4	2
Total,	10	26	24	13	73	15	28	32	20	113	94	16	26	1	—	—	2	—	45	9	1	1	23	6
MONAGHAN																								
Carnekmacross,	7	3	6	7	23	6	4	6	7	23	21	5	5						3				5	5
Castleblayney,	6	4	17	11	38	7	7	18	24	56	51	3	2		1				44	2		1	5	1
Clones,	2	1	5	2	10	—	1	4	1	6	5	1	1						22	1			4	1
Monaghan,	3	3	5	16	25	4	6	10	13	33	29	7	4										3	6
Total,	18	16	33	36	97	20	21	38	45	124	106	16	12	1					74	3		1	60	13
TYRONE																								
Anghnacloy,	2	2	6	2	12	6	13	6	1	24	18	6	6						11	1			1	5
Cookstown,		4	21	5	30		7	67	5	79	75	4		3			1		76	1			3	2
Dungannon	11	11	16	4	24	11	26	14	1	46	30	7	2	1	4	—	1		31	2			1	3
Newtownstewart,	3	7	2	4	20	5	6	3	2	13	15	3	1	1					16	1			1	1
Omagh	9	3	3	5	20	14	4	4	4	26	18	8							14	3			4	2
Strabane,	11	3	6	16	36	11	6	2	16	41	32	9	10	1	1	—			15	6			3	2
Total,	39	30	55	61	155	42	61	96	32	224	187	37	22	4	5	—	2		156	17	—	—	13	16
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	244	127	261	211	923	297	240	426	223	1,227	1,062	168	125	12	14		34	4	647	62	11	3	222	84

* The town of Newry which is situate partly in the county of Armagh and partly in the county of Down has been made a joint station the name of the district which includes the Armagh part has been changed from "Ballyhot to "Newry and the statistics of the town and sub-district of Newry in county Down are given separately from the rest of the Rathfriland District to which it belongs.

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POLICE TABLE 8.—RETURN OF INDICTABLE OFFENCES (not Disposed of Summarily) NUMBER of CRIMES COMMITTED in each POLICE DISTRICT (so far as known to the Police), the NUMBER of PERSONS APPREHENDED, and the DISPOSAL of the CHARGES against them, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871—*concluded*

PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	NUMBER OF CRIMES COMMITTED					NUMBER OF PERSONS APPREHENDED					DISPOSAL OF THE PERSONS APPREHENDED													
	Jan. Feb. March	April, May, June	July, August, Sept.	Oct. Nov. Dec.	Total Crimes.	Jan. Feb. March.	April, May June.	July, August, Sept.	Oct. Nov. Dec.	Total Persons.	TOTAL.		Discharged For want of Evidence.		Discharged For want of Prosecution		Bailed.		Bailed for Trial		Committed for want of Sureties.		Committed for Trial	
											M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
CONNAUGHT.																								
GALWAY, EAST RIDING																								
Athenry,	2	11	1	6	18	1	7	1	2	11	10	1		1	1		1		8					
Ballinasloe,		2	6	3	11		2	4	4	10	5	5							3					
Ballygar,	3	3	4	3	13	6	1	2	3	6	5	1	1		1		3		1				4	3
Loughrea,	5	1	3	3	14	4	2	6	3	15	13	2			2				2				1	1
Portumna,		3	2	2	7		1	1	1	3	3								6	2			6	
Woodford			1	2	3				1	1	1								2				1	
Total,	14	20	17	19	70	8	13	14	14	49	40	6	1	3	4		4		19	2			12	4
GALWAY, WEST RIDING, AND TOWN																								
Clifden,	1	2	2	4	9	1	2		3	10	9	1	3						3	1			3	
Dunmore,	3	3		6	12	11	2		6	22	20	2							16	1			16	1
Galway (Rural),	2				2	3				3	1	1											1	1
Galway (Town of)*	2	13	5	6	24	6	13	7	2	31	23	8		1					18	5	1		1	2
Gort,	4	4	2	6	16	1	2		3	6	4								4					2
Headford,†	1	1	1	4	7	2	2	4	5	13	11	2	2						6	2			2	
Outerard,	1				1	2				2	2		2											
Roundstone,	3	3	4	2	12	2	2	13	2	19	16		1		1				14					
Spiddal,		6	7	1	14		3	10	1	14	11	3							5	1			6	2
Tuam	2	4	3	1	10	2	3	6	1	11	10	1							5	1			4	
Total,	20	35	24	27	164	20	34	36	31	127	107	20	3	1	1				45	11	2		26	6
LEITRIM																								
Ballinamore,		20	6	2	28		20	6	1	26	23	3	1						22	5				
Carrick on Shannon,	2	4		3	9	5	1		5	6	5	1							3			1		
Carrigallen,	2	2	1	3	8		1	2	2	5	5		1				2		1				1	
Drumkeeran,	6	46	1	8	61	6	1		6	13	13	2	2						6	2	3			
Manorhamilton,	2	6	6	6	11	1	11	5	6	20	18	1							16	1				
Mohill,	3	2	2	9	16	4	3	1	13	22	18	3	2				1		14	6			1	
Total,	16	77	16	26	133	16	36	13	23	95	86	9	7		6		3		67	3	3	1	2	
MAYO																								
Ballaghaderreen,	11	2		1	15	22	18	2	1	43	36	7							34	7			2	
Ballina,	5	2	5	1	13	6	2	3	1	12	6	1	1				1		1				5	1
Ballinrobe,†	5	1	7	3	16	2	1	5	2	9	8	1	2						4				2	1
Belmullet,	1	1			2																			
Castlebar,	4	2	4	3	13		1	11	2	14	7	7												
Claremorris,	4	6	2	7	19	6	4	2	3	15	12	3	1				10	2	5	1	1		1	6
Crossmolina,																							1	1
Newport,		2	5	6	13			6	3	6	4	2					1		3					
Swinford,	7	16	2	6	26	12	11	15	3	44	32	5	4	2	1			2	20	2	1			1
Westport,	17	6	1	11	33	3	6	1	11	21	20	7	6						17	1		4	1	
Total,	52	61	24	43	136	49	46	42	29	167	134	33	11	2	1		12	4	86	14	2	4	12	9
ROSCOMMON																								
Athlone,	4		2	3	9	4		2	1	7	7		5						2					
Boyle,	3	1	2	5	11	3	2	1	1	7	6	1							2					
Castlerea,	3	5	3	6	12	6	3	6	3	14	13	1	1		2				5	1	1		3	1
Elphin	2	3	1	3	9	1	2	1	1	5	5		1						4				5	
Roscommon,	5	3	6	6	17	2		6	2	9	8	1	2						6	1			1	
Strokestown	5	3	5		13	6	2	4		12	12	5	1	1					6	1			1	
Total,	22	15	19	19	71	24	9	19	6	57	49	8	10	1	3				26	3	1		10	1
SLIGO																								
Ballymote,	1	5	1	3	10	1	5		6	12	11	1	1	1			1		9					
Easkey,		1	6	3	10		1	6	2	9	10	2	4						5	1				1
Grange,	17		1	1	19	17		1	1	19	19								19					
Riverstown,	2	6	2		7	13	13	2		27	27		3				12		11				1	
Sligo	2	2	3	6	13	2	2	7	3	16	16	6							8	6		1		4
Tubbercurry,	3	2	1	1	6	13	1	1	1	16	14	2							15			1	2	
Total,	27	16	14	16	70	46	21	26	21	103	97	11	8	1			13	1	69	8		7	7	
TOTAL OF PROVINCE	146	189	106	152	593	171	159	141	132	603	513	69	46	8	13		52	4	342	44	8	5	72	20
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	1,394	1,975	2,156	2,666	8,165	1,266	1,379	1,691	1,276	5,636	4,351	1,282	714	285	392	226	165	32	1 726	204	45	17	1,316	534

* The town of Galway, which in former returns was given separately, is now included in the West Riding.

† The Headford district, in the county of Galway, includes the sub-districts of Cong and Shrule the greater part of which is in the county of Mayo, and the adjoining Ballinrobe District in the county of Mayo, contains the sub-district of Killistrane in the county of Galway; but the officers of these districts limit their statistics to the portion of their own districts in the respective counties, and each includes the outlying portions of the adjoining districts respectively.

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POLICE TABLE 6 — RETURN OF INDICTABLE OFFENCES (not Disposed of Summarily) Nature of the Crimes

NATURE OF CRIMES	Total of Ireland	Leinster														Munster						
		Totals	Carlow	Drogheda Town	Dublin	Dublin Metropolitan Police District	Kildare	Kilkenny *	King's County	Longford	Louth	Meath	Queen's County	Westmeath	Wexford	Wicklow	Totals	Clare	Cork, E.R.	Cork, W.R.	Cork City	Kerry	Limerick
No. 1.—Offences against the Person.																						
Murder of Infants aged one year and under	25	8	1			3		1	1				1	1	1		6			3			2
Other Murders,	24	8		1		1		2		2	1	1					9		1	2		1	3
Attempts to Murder,	5	2						1					1				1	1					
Shooting at, Wounding, Stabbing, &c., to do bodily harm,	137	52			2	24	3	4	2	2		2	8	5		5	38	4	7	3	7	2	4
Manslaughter	44	13			1	4	1				1	1		2			21	2	2	3	2	1	1
Attempts to procure Miscarriage,	1																						
Concealing the Birth of Infants	35	14			2	2	2				1	3	1	1	3		8	1	1			1	1
Sodomy and Bestiality	4	3			1		3																
—— Attempts to commit, and other unnatural Misdemeanors,	13	3				4	4						1				1						
Rape	52	14	3			3	1	1				1	2	1	1	1	13	3	3		2	2	2
—— Assaults, with intent to ravish and abuse	32	21	1		1	3	3	1					2		3	3	10	2	3	3		1	3
Bigamy,	3	1													1		2	1	1				
Child Stealing	1																						
Unlawfully abandoning Children under two years of age,	20	10			1	27	4	2	1		1	1		2	1	1	11	2	1		1	2	2
Endangering the safety of Passengers on Railways,	23	4			2												2		2			1	1
Assault and inflicting bodily harm,	831	188	2		1	114	8	8	2	24	4	6	7	3	6	3	127	11	12	27	17	23	13
Assault, common	278	57	6		3	14	1	2	4	4	3	5	3	2	6	3	26	8	13	15	8	11	7
Assaults on Police Officers,	95	33	1		2	23	3	1		1	4			1	3		10				5	5	
Total of No 1,	1,489	469	14	1	10	237	30	23	11	33	15	28	22	19	33	15	419	37	55	65	43	52	38
No. 2.—Offences against Property with Violence																							
Sacrilege,	18	3			3	4	1							1			7		4	1			1
Burglary and Housebreaking	187	85	2		2	43	2	13	3	4		1	1	2	4	3	24	2	5	1	3	3	3
Breaking into Shops Warehouses &c.	183	53		1	2	73	1	1	1			1	1	1	1		10	3	3	1			
Attempts to break into Houses Shops Warehouses, &c.	40	36				34					1	1					7	2		1			3
Robbery on the Highway,	38	33	3		1	14	5	3		3			1			1	33	3	4		18		
Attempts to rob on the Highway, and demanding Money by menace	53	37				31					2	4					8		1		7		1
Threatening by Letter, with a view to extort Money,	26	26				4		1		1	1		1	17	1		5		1		1		2
Total of No 2,	497	293	5	1	12	207	9	14	4	7	4	7	4	21	6	9	102	10	17	4	29	6	6
No. 3.—Offences against Property without Violence																							
Cattle Stealing,	78	38	9			2	1	3	1	4	1	3	2	1	2	3	15					1	3
Horse Stealing,	32	15			3	4		2	2			1	1	2	1		4		1				1
Sheep Stealing	81	35	1			1	4	3	4	1		5	1	3	3	2	35	2	2	18	4	2	
Larceny to the value of £5 in Dwelling houses,	174	138	2			33	8	3	1		1	2	1	1	1	1	35	1	8		14	8	2
Simple Larceny from the Person,	1,852	873	3	5	4	828	9	4	1	3	4	3	1	3	2	3	127	7	9	4	43	21	7
Larceny by Servants,	209	104	1		3	151		3	1			1	1	2	3		19	2	5	2	4	3	1
Larceny—simple	2,882	2 805	7	1	25	2 483	19	9	9	4	7	8	9	2	8	8	183	11	36	7	39	8	5
Larceny on Rivers Canals, Wharfs, &c	43	43				40											1				1		
Stealing Fixtures, Shrubs growing, &c	7																3	3	1	2			
Attempts to Steal,	58	42			5	38								1			3	1			2	8	
Embezzlement	95	47				42	2		1			1			1		8		7			1	
Larceny by Servants in the Post Office	10	4				3								1			1						
Receiving Stolen Goods	67	22	1		1	13			1	1						2	2					1	
Fraudulently obtaining Goods by false pretences, and attempts to defraud,	99	33			2	57		1	1		1		2		3	1	18	1	2	1	4	1	
Total of No 3,	4 861	4 066	18	6	43	3 773	43	28	22	13	13	23	20	13	23	22	405	28	39	28	133	41	15
No. 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																							
Arson and other Wilful Burning,	144	54	1		2	9	8	5	5	5	2	4	4	3	5	4	43	1	15	3	1	3	6
Felonious Riot and demolishing Buildings, &c.	11	2	1							1							2						1
Destroying Goods in Process of Manufacture,																							
Destroying Trees, Shrubs, &c growing	13	3					2		1								5	2		1			
Killing and Maiming Cattle	71	22				2	5	3	3					3	2	2	25	4	2	4		6	3
Sending Letters Threatening to Burn Houses, &c.	144	32			2	3	4	25	9	8	13		26			1	21	8	6	1		8	9
Malicious Injuries to Property exceeding £5 in value,	66	35			1	13	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	2		1	3	4	1	2			
Other Wilful and Malicious Injuries to Property	177	114			4	76	1	13	3	3	4		1	3			33	3	1	4	1	1	5
Total of No 4	531	312	2		9	100	16	28	23	19	14	16	8	10	7	16	137	28	25	14	3	13	24
No. 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																							
Forging and uttering Forged Instruments,	20	8		1	1	2	1	1	1					1			3		1		2		
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes	5	3				1					1			1			1				1		
Coining and having Implements for Coining in possession,	2	2				1			1														
Uttering, putting off and having in possession Counterfeit Coin	47	28				15	3								2	5	11	2	2		2	2	1
Total of No. 5,	75	42		1	1	33	4	1	2		1			2	2	5	15	2	3		5	2	1
No. 6.—Offences not included in the above Classes																							
Offences against the Game Laws,	1																						
Being at large under Sentence of Transportation or Penal Servitude	2	1					1																
Perjury	19	7			1	2				2	2	1					2	1					1
Riot Breach of the Peace, &c.	185	3	1				1									7	28	11		1	13		
Keeping Disorderly Houses,	3																						
Indecently Exposing the Person,	23	17				15	1									1	5			2	1	3	
Suicide attempting to commit,	69	52	1			43	4	1			1					2	7	2	1		1		1
Other Felonies not included in the above,	109	51	1		1	15	2	1	2	12		3	2	12			18	2	1	1		1	7
Other Misdemeanors not included in the above,	353	73	5	1	8	7	5	7	4	3	5	2	11	11	2	4	83	10	25	7	2	10	10
Total of No 6,	282	215	11	1	10	82	13	10	8	17	7	6	13	33	2	14	145	30	27	11	14	13	28
General Total,	8 135	5,401	55	10	93	4,401	114	87	81	90	54	78	67	112	76	81	1 233	135	194	126	262	131	122

* The statistics of Kilkenny city are no longer distinct from Kilkenny county, as a portion of the county has been added to the city district, and the whole treated as a district of the county

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Committed in each COUNTY, and COUNTY of CITY or of TOWN, so far as known to the Police, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871.

MUNSTER.					ULSTER										CONNAUGHT						NATURE OF CRIMES.
Limerick City	Tipperary, N.R.	Tipperary, S.R.	Waterford	Waterford City	Totals	Antrim	Armagh	Belfast Town	Carrickfergus Town	Cavan	Donegal	Down	Fermanagh	Londonderry	Monaghan	Tyrone	Totals	Galway, E.R.	Galway, W.R.*	Leitrim	Mayo	Roscommon	Sligo	
																								No. 1.—Offences against the Person.
	1		1		7	1						2		2		2	4					1	3	Murder of Infants aged one year and under
1		1			9		1			1	2			1		1	1			1				Other Murders.
																	2							Attempts to Murder
	4	6	1		35	1	3	1		3	7	3	1	3	0	8	12	2	2	3	2			Shooting at, Wounding, Stabbing &c., to do bodily harm
2		3		1	9	1	2				3	1		1		1	4		1		1	1	1	Manslaughter
					1			1																Attempts to procure Miscarriage.
1	1	1			16		3			1	2	1				3	3			1	2			Concealing the Birth of Infants
					1							1												Sodomy and Bestiality
			1		2								2				1					1		——— Attempts to commit, and other unnatural Misdemeanors.
	1	1			13	2	3				1	2	1	1		1	9		3	1	3	2		Rape
	1	2		1	13	2	3	3		1		1		1	1		12	3	5			2	2	——— Assaults, with intent to ravish and abuse.
				1	3							1					1				1			Bigamy
	2				8		1								2		1			1				Child Stealing
	3				4		3									2	2			1	1			Unlawfully abandoning Children under two years of age.
	3				4											3	4				1	3		Endangering the safety of Passengers on Railways.
25	17	19	1	5	155	1	29	7		15	20	7	20	3	11	19	91	3	22	9	31	14	6	Assault and inflicting bodily harm
	10	9	1	1	91	4	8	5		9	11	5	2	9	15	25	97	2	9	12	16	6	4	Assaults, common
1	3	2			31		2	3		3	3	4	3	1	3	10	13		7	1	7	2	1	Assaults on Peace Officers.
30	43	41	5	8	371	13	52	29		33	57	27	36	25	34	78	210	10	55	31	82	33	19	Total of No. 1
																								No. 2.—Offences against Property with Violence.
	5	3	2	1	3			1									1	1						Sacrilege.
1	2	1			28	5	3	1		1		5		4	3	1	13	3	2	1	3	2	2	Burglary and Housebreaking
	1	1			10	1	3	3							1									Breaking, into Shops, Warehouses &c.
					5					2						1	2				1			Attempts to break into Houses, Shops, Warehouses, &c.
	1	7		1	11	3				1	1	1		2	2	1	6	1	2	1		2		Robbery on the Highway
					1											1	3	1	3		1	2		Attempts to rob on the Highway and demanding Money by menaces.
	1				4			2		1						1	1				1			Threatening by Letter, with a view to extort Money
1	9	14	2	2	68	9	13	11		5	1	6		7	6	4	38	11	3	2	9	6	2	Total of No. 2
																								No. 3.—Offences against Property without Violence.
	3	4	2	1	29	1	2			7	2	3	1	2	2	2	8			4	1	2	1	Cattle Stealing
	1		1		9		2			3	1	1		1	1		4		1		2	1		Horse Stealing
	2	7	1	1	9								1				6	3			3	1		Sheep Stealing
	3	3			14	2	1	3		1	3			2			8	2	1		2			Larceny to the value of £5 in Dwelling houses.
	1	10	2	3	58	10	9	10		1	3	2	3	3	3	3	22	3	2		5	1	10	Larceny from the Person
	1	1	1		12			2		1	2	0		1		3	3		2	1	1		1	Larceny by Servants.
22	1	12	17	3	28	6	6	14		7	3	0	3	0	7	17	24	2	5	5	9	1	4	Larceny simple
																	3		1	1				Larceny on Rivers, Canals, Wharfs &c
					0		3	4		1						1	1		1					Stealing Fixtures, Shrubs growing, &c
					2		1										2				2			Attempts to Steal
		1			1							1	4		2		1				1			Embezzlement.
		1			4	2						1	1				1		1					Larceny by Servants in the Post Office
					4	1		2					1			1	2	2			2		2	Receiving Stolen Goods.
1	1		3		12		1	6			1	2			1	2	0		1	1	1		2	Fraudulently obtaining Goods by false pretences, and attempts to defraud
23	13	39	31	8	240	22	19	43		21	31	39	8	18	22	31	97	13	16	13	23	7	22	Total of No. 3
																								No. 4.—Malicious Offences against Property
	7	4	4		23	1	3				4	2		0	7	7	17	2	2		7	2		Arson and other Wilful Burning
	1				7		4							3										Unlawful Riot and demolishing Buildings &c.
																								Destroying Goods in Process of Manufacture.
	1	1			2	1								1			0	1		3	3	1		Destroying Trees, Shrubs &c., growing
	0	2	1		7					1	2			1		3	17	1	3	5	1	5	2	Killing and Maiming Cattle.
	2	3			10	2	1				1						21	0			14	1		Sending Letters Threatening to Burn Houses &c
		1			11	1	3			1	1	2					12	2	3		7	1		Malicious Injuries to Property exceeding £5 in value
		2			12	2	3		1	2	1	1		1	3	2	22	3	4	4	11	1		Other Wilful and Malicious Injuries to Property
	14	12	5		95	7	19		1	4	9	5		9	14	30	97	18	11	12	43	11	2	Total of No. 4.
																								No. 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency
					8			6						1		1									Forging and uttering Forged Instruments.
					1										1		1						1	Having in possession Forged Bank Notes
				3	0	1	1	2				1			1		2	2						Coining and having Implements for Coining in possession
																								Uttering putting off and having in possession Counterfeit Coin
				2	10	1	1	0				1		1	1	1	3	2					1	Total of No. 5
																								No. 6.—Offences not included in the above Classes.
					1					1														Offences against the Game Laws.
					1										1									Being at large under Sentence of Transportation or Penal Servitude
	1	1			9					2				1	1	1	3			2	1			Perjury.
1		1			26	7	2			2		2		0	2	1	49	0	1	20	1	1	28	Riot Breach of the Peace &c.
					3			2						1										Keeping Disorderly Houses.
					1								1											Indecently Exposing the Person.
		2			1							1					3		2			1		Suicide attempting to commit.
	1	2			38		1	1		0	2	1	2	1	4	2	22	1	5	4	0	3		Other Felonies not included in the above.
	3	4	1	2	196	9	12			31	2	9		6	12	25	83	9	9	50	8	9	4	Other Misdemeanors not included in the above.
1	6	10	1	2	102	12	10	2		49	7	12	4	14	29	29	190	13	14	79	18	14	24	Total of No. 6
55	93	119	44	22	933	64	118	93	1	161	175	79	60	76	97	195	590	76	104	133	199	71	76	GENERAL TOTAL.

* The statistics of Galway Town, which in former returns were given separately, are now included in the West Riding

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POLICE TABLE 7.—RETURN OF INDICTABLE OFFENCES (not Disposed of Summarily) TOTAL of the CRIMES of each CLASS COMMITTED (so far as known to the Police), the NUMBER of PERSONS APPREHENDED, and the manner in which they were disposed of, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871.

NATURE OF CRIMES	NUMBER OF CRIMES COMMITTED.					NUMBER OF PERSONS APPREHENDED.					DISPOSAL OF THE PERSONS APPREHENDED.													
	Jan Feb. Mar.	April May, June	July, Aug. Sept.	Oct. Nov Dec	Total Crimes	Jan Feb Mar	April May June	July Aug. Sept.	Oct. Nov Dec.	Total Persons.	Total.		Discharged For want of Evidence.		Discharged For want of Prosecution		Bailed.		Bailed for Trial.		Committed for want of Sureties.		Committed for Trial	
											M	W.	M	W.	M	W	M	W	M.	W.	M	W	M.	W
No. 1.—Offences against the Person.																								
Murder of Infants aged one year and under,	4	5	3	7	25	2	4	3	5	10	5	14	1	2					4	1			11	
Other Murders,	6	6	6	4	24	19	16	3	7	44	37	7	11	4			2		1				23	3
Attempts to Murder,	2	1	2		5	2	1	4		6	7	1	4						2				1	1
Shooting at, Wounding Stabbing, &c., to do bodily harm,	32	61	28	46	167	38	22	24	71	175	152	22	26	6	6	1	6		55	2	2	2	65	11
Manslaughter,	16	11	14	8	44	14	15	13	9	51	36	1	6						16				36	1
Attempts to procure Miscarriage,	1				1	1				1		1												1
Concealing the Birth of Infants,	13	8	5	9	35	9	11	6	7	32	2	26					2		1	3			1	26
Sodomy and Bestiality,	1	1		2	4	1	1		2	4	4		1										2	
——— Attempts to commit, and other unnatural Misdemeanors,	1	4	4	4	13	1	2	4	3	10	10		2		1				2				6	
Rape,	16	14	10	12	52	16	14	17	14	55	33		11		2				22		1		16	
——— Assaults, with intent to ravish and abuse,	12	16	22	11	62	18	16	27	11	65	63	2	7		4		1		17	2	1		38	
Buggery,	4	1	3	1	9	4	1	2	1	8	8		1										7	
Child Stealing,		1			1		1			1	1												1	
Unlawfully abandoning Children under two years of age,	12	26	15	12	66	6	12	6	2	27		27		2				5		1				12
Endangering the safety of Passengers on Railways,	2	6	4	8	20	2	1			3	3								1				2	
Assault and inflicting bodily harm,	145	146	176	131	601	261	261	246	135	1 053	923	158	98	28	152	27	42	8	462	66	6	4	145	26
Assaults common,	56	66	93	63	272	68	113	130	62	373	353	46	13	2	1		23	6	275	26	3		67	12
Assaults on Peace Officers,	32	14	29	25	99	20	16	22	46	113	108	13	1	2			3	4	69	3		1	30	3
Total of No 1,	348	382	427	346	1 459	473	531	641	456	2101	1 783	321	104	64	168	38	76	17	646	164	16	7	368	101
No 2.—Offences against Property with Violence.																								
Sacrilege,	3	2	6	7	18	1	4	6	1	12	12				1				3				8	
Burglary and Housebreaking,	51	42	32	37	167	38	25	26	20	105	37	9	14	6	6				12		1		67	6
Breaking into Shops Warehouses, &c.	25	26	21	29	102	15	7	16	13	51	49	2	11	1	6				3		2		26	1
Attempts to break into Houses, Shops, Warehouses &c	15	6	16	6	43	13	5	5	3	26	26		3		2				2				17	
Robbery on the Highway,	31	16	16	27	90	25	15	26	26	96	76	14	16	1	2	1			18	1			43	11
Attempts to rob on the Highway, and demanding Money by menaces,	11	15	12	13	53	10	9	12	11	42	40	6	14	1	4	2			4				16	6
Threatening by Letter with a view to extort Money	17	4	6	6	33			2	1	3	2	1							1	1			1	
Total of No 2,	142	121	108	126	497	105	65	91	77	238	354	34	58	8	18	3			41	2	3		187	22
No 3.—Offences against Property without Violence.																								
Cattle Stealing,	16	11	25	27	79	17	9	13	23	67	62	4	14	1	6		3		6	2	3	1	22	
Horse Stealing,	5	2	11	14	32	5	3	3	12	23	23		7		6		1		5				16	
Sheep Stealing,	23	14	15	31	83	18	16	16	15	65	54	3	13	3	1		1		3		1		23	
Larceny to the value of £5 in Dwelling-houses	46	36	67	31	174	26	9	42	17	93	52	66	3	2	2				11	5		1	66	28
Larceny from the Person,	197	228	325	264	1,022	128	172	179	163	642	266	236	66	66	46	121	2	2	42	14	4	6	122	134
Larceny by Servants,	48	57	46	53	200	19	33	26	10	88	42	46	7	6	5	7			8	7			22	28
Larceny simple	722	694	803	753	2,852	199	224	209	214	842	337	306	126	68	39	51	2	4	47	24	6	2	232	157
Larceny on Rivers, Canals Wharfs &c.	11	15	7	15	43	5	4	2	5	16	18	2	2	1	5		1				2		2	1
Stealing Fixtures, Shrubs growing &c	2	1		2	7	2	1			3	3		1										2	
Attempts to Steal,	17	16	16	15	64	14	11	27	15	72	60	12	16	2	6	1	15	2	3	1			21	6
Embezzlement	21	21	15	8	65	15	16	15	2	42	40	2	6	1	7	1	2		7				13	
Larceny by Servants in the Post Office,	2	2	2	3	10	2	3	2	3	10	10						1		1				5	
Receiving Stolen Goods	15	5	9	12	37	13	6	6	16	41	26	20	3	5	2				12	11	1		15	4
Fraudulently obtaining Goods by false pretences, and attempts to defraud	21	20	23	25	89	24	10	18	24	76	68	18	12	3	17	2	1		6	1			32	12
Total of No. 3,	1,146	1,147	1,254	1 254	4 801	465	567	552	532	2 087	1 266	763	284	178	108	183	28	16	168	69	16	7	631	361
No 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																								
Arson and other Wilful Burning	56	33	34	34	144	17	13	16	9	54	46	8	21	8			2		11	1			12	1
Felonious Riot and demolishing Buildings, &c.	1	2	7	1	11	4	3	12	9	28	27	1	7						17	1			3	
Destroying Goods in process of Manufacture,																								
Destroying Trees Shrubs, &c., growing,	1	0	3	2	16																			
Killing and Maiming Cattle,	16	18	21	22	73	3	4	3	1	11	9	2	5						2	2			2	
Sending Letters Threatening to Burn Houses, &c	58	24	25	27	144	9	7	1	2	14	13	1	3						1	6	1		1	
Malicious Injuries to Property exceeding £5 in value	6	15	29	16	65	2	16	1	12	26	22	4	6	1					7	1			7	2
Other Wilful and Malicious Injuries to Property,	35	41	49	52	177	5	15	15	2	41	43	1	3				1		25	1			6	
Total of No 4,	149	154	178	154	631	34	61	42	37	176	157	17	52	7			3	1	70	6	1		31	3
No 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																								
Forging and altering Forged Instruments	7	5	6	2	20	7	6	6	3	22	16	3	3	1					6				15	2
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes,	1	1		3	5	1	1		3	5	3	2		1					2				2	1
Coining and having Implements for Coining in possession	1	1		1	3	2	1			3	2	1	1										1	1
Uttering putting off and having in possession Counterfeit Coin	14	9	13	11	47	13	3	12	18	46	30	16	12	7	1				3	1			13	10
Total of No. 5,	23	16	13	17	75	23	10	18	21	73	54	24	17	8	1				11	1			25	14
No 6.—Offences not included in the above Classes																								
Offences against the Game Laws	1				1	1				1	1		1											
Being at large under Sentence of Transportation or Penal Servitude,	2				2	2				2	1	1	1											1
Perjury	5	6	2	3	15	6	6	2	4	18	18	2	1	1					7		2		6	1
Riot Breach of the Peace &c.	20	33	36	6	100	72	65	102	36	312	232	20	26	3	3		21	2	236	13			5	
Keeping Disorderly Houses	1	2			3	3	2			4	2								1	1			1	1
Indecently Exposing the Person,	3	6	10	1	23	3	6	7	1	17	16	1			3		3		4				4	1
Suicide attempting to commit,	5	19	25	5	52	5	19	26	3	62	28	24	16	7	3	2	1	2	1	1	1	3	6	19
Other Felonies not included in the above,	31	27	21	30	109	25	40	22	16	113	104	6	38	2	4		10		46	2	2		12	2
Other Misdemeanors not included in the above,	102	62	76	66	356	114	58	71	85	326	265	22	85	2	26		6		810	16	1		26	7
Total of No. 6	169	164	175	123	632	243	199	270	147	855	766	88	109	15	40	2	44	4	422	62	7	3	66	32
GENERAL TOTAL,	1 994	1 375	2 136	2 636	8 135	1 666	1 373	1,623	1,275	5,533	4,351	1 288	714	256	606	326	155	32	1725	264	35	17	1,316	554

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POLICE TABLE 8.—RETURN OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST FOR OFFENCES DETERMINED SUMMARILY, Result of the Proceedings, in each Police District, against the Persons whose Cases were Determined Summarily by the Justices, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871.

PROVINCE, COUNTY COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT—	Number of Persons Proceeded against							Number Committed (in some cases with Fine or Whipping)									Fined only	Whipped.	To find Sureties or Recognizances.	Delivered to Army or Navy	Other Punishments.
	Total.			Discharged		Convicted.		Above Six Months.	Six Months and above Three	Three Months and above Two	Two Months and above One	One Month and above Fourteen Days.	Fourteen Days and under	To Reformatory Schools.	To Industrial Schools.						
LEINSTER.	M & W	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.														
CARLOW:																					
Bagenalstown,	270	235	35	6	2	229	23		1		1	5					224		22		6
Borris,	209	287	32	17	2	256	30			1	2	3					247		3		15
Carlow,	484	412	72	29	14	354	58		1	1	2	10	66				326		6		
Tullow,	366	326	40	23	7	303	33	1	1			7	9				293		21		4
Total,	1,429	1,241	179	75	25	1,166	154	2	3	2	5	16	82				1,120		52		31
DROGHEDA, Town of,	619	494	125	101	41	367	74		1	15	7	8	137				294		16	1	1
DUBLIN County (part of)																					
Balbriggan,	373	297	63	28	11	199	32				1	2	6	2			201		17		1
Clondalkin,	632	772	61	71	11	701	55			1		12	16	5			714		6	2	
Lucan,	328	277	51	20	9	257	42			2		2	5	2			265		15	2	10
Rathfarnham,	507	524	43	52	7	471	36		6	2		2	5				469		23	1	1
Swords,	329	287	85	20	6	267	62			2	6	6	6				273		5	2	
Total,	2,828	2,087	223	198	41	1,895	108		2	7	4	27	34	5			1,817		61	7	12
DUBLIN City (and part of County) Metropolitan Police District—																					
Divisions—																					
A, City S.W.,	6,825	4,251	2,568	425	646	3,826	2,242		17	27	75	48	46	18	48		2,485		116	12	2,242
B, City S.E.,	10,176	7,093	3,136	316	173	6,705	2,963		15	20	78	54	62	24	44		5,980		131	3	3,765
C City N.E.,	7,841	5,177	2,764	424	186	4,753	2,578		25	48	85	62	64	23	69		3,668		66	10	3,194
D City N.W., and Rural,*	7,195	4,517	2,678	421	176	4,096	2,502		35	65	151	77	76	16	54		3,287		57	23	2,759
E S, and Rural,†	2,810	1,827	983	198	81	1,629	902		7	8	29	64	33	15	38		1,382		42	16	844
F, Rural,‡	2,622	1,397	865	178	113	1,073	585		2	4	23	19	17	11	15		1,122		30	1	387
Total,	37,483	24,649	12,834	1,951	1,062	22,698	11,772		106	142	378	279	329	106	268		17,409		443	64	14,523
KILDARE:																					
Athy,	592	490	102	28	18	462	82			3	5	4	6				434		16	6	2
Curragh,	636	236	412	23	15	208	396		2	5	5	32	234	2			375			2	
Kildare,	1,228	884	324	78	26	806	298		1	2	6	18	189	2			581		6	21	2
Kilcliff,	422	377	45	66	6	297	40					6	7				347		11	2	5
Naas,	665	581	84	81	14	542	70		1	7	3	11	39				427		14	31	
Robertstown,	443	263	80	28	6	234	44					1	4		1		281		6	6	2
Total,	4,116	3,026	1,022	227	88	2,831	930		5	18	19	66	481	4	1		2,845		49	68	15
KILKENNY:																					
Callan,	643	533	85	84	14	471	71				6	2	63				435		21		3
Castlecomer,	487	432	55	105	16	327	40					2	6				333		23	5	1
Gowran,	313	287	16	32	2	255	14					1	2				266		3	2	
Johnstown,	325	308	17	46	1	262	16					1	13				254		16	1	
Piltown, §	777	648	129	104	33	515	89			6	2	6	223				307		1		
Piltown,	460	376	24	63	3	337	21				4	2	4				325		11		3
Thomastown,	582	542	50	83	14	459	36					3	24	1			433		4		
Total,	3,344	3,126	385	517	92	2,642	202			3	8	31	344	1			2,441		84	8	1
KING'S COUNTY:																					
Edenderry,	482	421	61	28	8	393	53			1	6	2	3				404		30	2	1
Ferbane,	462	424	38	40	6	384	32				1	3	6				400		2		1
Frankford,	292	255	37	27	9	228	28				2	1	1				239		10		3
Parsonstown,	563	423	75	35	35	343	33		2	3	4	7	42				304		13		
Shinrone,	246	227	19	27	1	200	17	1					4				211			1	
Tullamore,	894	878	142	129	33	749	67				4	15	43	2			727		20		
Total,	2,964	2,633	331	336	92	2,297	239	1	2	3	13	28	115	2			2,285		74	3	5
LONGFORD:																					
Ballymahon,	462	440	37	65	5	331	32			1	3	13	13				313		13		
Drumlish,	301	262	1	28	9	234	10				3	6	9				201		23		
Granard,	562	486	62	41	16	429	52				6	23	16				405		24	2	2
Longford,	895	859	36	134	30	731	57		3	6	19	16	77	2	5		630		20	22	3
Total,	2,371	2,157	214	268	60	1,889	151		3	1	31	58	117	1	5		1,550		69	1	7
LOUTH:																					
Ardee,	606	666	30	107	28	499	84				1	7	30	4			429		7	30	5
Carlingford,	543	471	72	105	37	326	35			1	2	7	5	2			330		10		1
Drogheda (Rural),	472	401	71	115	14	286	57				1	1	7				333		1		
Dundalk,	1,116	806	226	307	74	599	146			2	13	65	190	3			404		7	14	21
Total,	2,826	2,374	452	724	150	1,650	302			3	16	78	182	9			1,496		25	45	27
MEATH:																					
Athboy,	434	376	26	26	7	340	19				2	1	25				324		7		
Dulcek,	361	282	23	56	6	226	26			1		1	1				207		22		
Dunshaughlin,	297	237	30	28	3	209	27		2	1	1	16	9				243				
Kells,	563	516	45	74	9	444	36		2	1	6	11	81	1			374		4		
Longwood,	258	235	23	24	2	211	21						2	1			203		6	2	
Navan,	215	139	76	136	6	713	76					6	19				638		5	1	
Slane,	421	374	47	42	4	332	45			2		4	4				303		4		
Trim,	220	211	19	22	1	182	16						3				180		2		
Total,	3,449	3,154	295	417	38	2,737	256			4	5	16	43	230	2		2,063		33	2	

* D, Rural part—Glasnevin to Castleknock. † E S. and Rural—Crumlin to Sandymount. ‡ F, Rural—Newton Old Church-yard to Mount Milligan, Killiney Hill.
§ Kilkenny District includes the county of the city of Kilkenny, and part of the county of Kilkenny.

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POLICE TABLE 8.—RETURN OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST FOR OFFENCES DETERMINED SUMMARILY. RESULT of the PROCEEDINGS, in each POLICE DISTRICT, against the PERSONS whose CASES were DETERMINED SUMMARILY by the JUSTICES, in the YEAR ended 31st December, 1871.—*continued*

PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT.	Number of Persons Proceeded Against — Total.			Discharged.		Convicted.		Number Committed (in some cases with Finer or Whipping) — Above Six Months.	Six Months and above Three	Three Months and above Two	Two Months and above One	One Month and above Fourteen Days.	Fourteen Days and under	To Reformatory Schools.	To Industrial Schools.	Fined only.	Whipped.	To find Sureties or Recognizances.	Delivered to Army or Navy.	Other Punishments.
LEINSTER—*continued.*	M & W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.													
QUEEN'S COUNTY *																				
Abbeyleix,	328	482	44	28	2	444	24				2	3	3			428		13		
Ballickmoyler,	463	445	24	40	2	409	24				2	6	2			413		5		2
Maryborough,	768	700	45	36	8	662	33		1	1	3	6	33	1		648		21	6	
Mountmellick,	668	644	72	72	18	521	44		1	4	3	13	5	1		513		33	2	
Mountrath,	386	356	24	8		347	23				2	12	12			324		24	2	
Rathdowney,	594	385	29	40	7	306	22				1	1	3			317		3		
Total,	3 224	2 996	268	253	41	2,693	227		2	5	14	43	81	2		2,683		199	13	2
WESTMEATH																				
Ballynacargy,	240	224	18	28	2	182	14	1	1	4	4	8	2			178		4	1	
Castlepollard,	476	415	43	33	13	347	44					2	4			342		2	1	
Delvin,	328	291	35	21	8	270	27					3	7			260		3		
Glasson,	456	381	45	41	13	340	33			1	4	13	3	0		301		3	4	
Kilbeggan,	356	345	11	24		321	11			1	1	2	20			301		3	4	
Moate	418	396	22	46	2	341	17		2			3	3			448		2	4	
Mullingar,	1 036	932	106	161	33	771	128		1	18	7	16	103			140		18	3	
Total,	3,007	2 904	483	456	80	2 660	333	1	4	19	16	46	152	2		2 588		52	13	
WEXFORD																				
Arthurstown,	283	268	21	24	3	244	18				1	3	3			230		16		
Enniscorthy,	786	649	107	113	34	544	73		1	1	7	10	20	1	2	532		40	1	
Gorey,	550	481	69	74	14	407	54		1	1		6	6			404		7		4
New Ross,	519	483	36	69	12	343	64		1		4	13	22	2		288		0	2	
Newtownbarry,	338	277	61	43	18	227	46		1	1	0	7	3			238		17		3
Taghmon,	293	255	34	23	7	230	28				1	1	1			252		2	1	
Wexford,	927	644	131	142	33	124	93		2	3	4	14	131	1	0	648		9	1	
Total,	5,733	3 268	493	488	183	2 771	371		5	6	26	56	186	4	11	2,742		84	4	7
WICKLOW																				
Arklow,	432	308	23	28	2	271	31				7	19	0			238		7	2	
Baltinglass	428	402	16	20	2	348	16				1	2	3			307		28	3	
Blessington,	214	200	14	11		203	14					3				237		11		
Bray,	1,046	223	63	154	3	204	63				2	8	10	14	2	3		322	1	33	1	3
Tinahely	249	223	23	23	2	203	21				1	3	3	2				308		3		
Wicklow,	432	338	23	43	3	273	25				1	1	3	3				457		1		
Total,	3,301	2 237	264	264	17	2 143	187				4	17	40	33	2	2	2	2 731	1	68	4	3
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	14,446	87,217	17 451	6,283	1,463	50 434	15,478	4	138	287	846	831	2,464	143	286	45 262	1	1,324	286	14 027
MUNSTER.																				
CLARE																				
Ballyvaughan,	350	318	32	42	12	269	20					1	2			262		1		
Corofin	341	486	55	132	25	330	25				1	2	7			240		6		4
Ennis,	744	672	72	210	37	462	35				7	16	20	1		442		8		2
Ennistymon,	1,193	1 120	61	163	34	893	28					15	7			826		6		2
Kilmaley,	413	388	25	66	16	316	18					1	2			308		4		
Kilrush,	847	686	43	47	0	458	33			1	1	4	7			446		20		
Kilrush	978	867	109	157	47	710	32			4	4	2	12	26				655		7		12
Six-mile bridge,	449	427	36	29	0	398	41					2	1	18				402		8		
Tulla,	549	521	28	34	4	487	24							5				493		12		
Total,	6 714	4 287	469	883	181	4 461	278			5	5	12	54	102	1			4,406		75		18
CORK: EAST RIDING																				
Ballincollig,	378	307	72	89	28	218	47				2	7	4			434		11		2
Charleville,	318	289	118	243	34	46	77					3	37		1	622		23	3	
Fermoy,	1 114	442	172	152	43	708	124		2	30	11	24	122			490		44	3	
Glanmire,	144	177	14	31	7	106	8						3			155		1	3	
Kanturk,	775	632	83	99	27	382	34				3	11	4			536		33		3
Kinsale,	749	464	46	183	30	471	65		3	3	4	18	2		5	432		7	4	
Mallow,	878	588	90	86	32	615	43			4	10	10	14			811		8	1	
Midleton,	831	811	80	84	4	655	72				7	8	12			433		50		
Mitchelstown,	864	604	83	87	13	447	87			1	1	10	42			384		15	2	
Passage,	832	681	181	128	45	555	186				12	18	17	1	1	581		39		
Queenstown,	1,281	848	276	114	26	841	217		5	28	68	30	148			531		13	171	0
Youghal	393	381	82	82	24	726	80				8	29	4			724		24		
Total,	8,173	7,902	1,971	1,517	562	6,585	810			18	64	138	183	801	1	7		8 135		260	193	14
CORK, WEST RIDING																				
Bandon,	1,274	1,102	172	122	25	836	167		1		11	13	47			1,003	1	37	0	13
Bantry	874	871	184	178	47	632	57		1	1		6	3		4	710		20		
Castletown,	429	367	62	78	21	491	31					1	1			616		2		2
Clonakilty,	838	760	88	188	28	337	32			1	0	15	14		3	533		24		
Dunmanway,	488	488	88	84	11	344	26				1	10	14	1		336		17		2
Macroom,	844	854	93	150	44	705	44					8	10		2	708		27		
Skibbereen,	883	802	101	82	21	748	29				1	8	12			729		33		
Skull,	536	506	28	84	18	444	12				3	11	3			413		32		4
Total,	6,062	5,410	652	867	320	5,062	403		2	2	21	73	113	1	15	5 844	1	220	5	19

* As to abolition of Strathbally District in 1871, *vide* note (*) p 122, *supra*

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Province, County, County of City or of Town, and Police District	Number of Persons Proceeded Against: Total. M & W	M.	W	Discharged M.	W	Convicted. M	W	Number Committed (in some cases with Fine or Whipping): Above Six Months	Six Months and above Three	Three Months and above Two	Two Months and above One	One Month and above Fourteen Days	Fourteen Days and under	To Reformatory Schools.	To Industrial Schools.	Fined only	Whipped	To find Sureties or Recognizances.	Delivered to Army or Navy	Other Punishments
MUNSTER—*continued*																				
Cork City—																				
North District,	3,187	2,117	1 056	330	269	1,781	811	0	0	18	24	86	478	3	44	1 377		106	23	415
South, ,,	6,402	3,991	2 252	657	395	2 364	1857	1	21	35	100	176	628	14	62	2,598		137	43	321
Total,	8,570	6,108	2,422	993	634	4,142	2,298	4	27	56	124	265	1,304	23	126	3,975		243	63	736
Kerry—																				
Cahirciveen,	1,215	1,088	126	174	56	915	71			1		12	1			690		71		6
Dingle,	712	671	41	192	17	489	24					2				468		48		
Kenmare	729	622	116	214	38	509	69					6	6			564		11		
Killarney	1,348	1,220	126	284	43	962	70	1	3	1	0	14	16	1	1	836		28	4	20
Killorglin,	1,071	947	124	210	60	637	64		2			6	7			632		48		2
Listowel,	1 630	1 738	121	207	56	1 361	76			3	1	6	16			1,488		63		
Tralee,	1 826	1 297	229	124	56	1,173	105		1	1	3	27	46	1	59	1,134		66		1
Total,	8 450	7,661	889	1,376	362	6,186	587	1	6	5	13	73	96	2	60	6,120		353	4	29
Limerick—																				
Adare,	792	666	54	47	14	651	40				1	2	7			564		15	1	1
Bruff,	1 075	991	84	119	26	872	54				4	16	8			652		29	3	2
Cahercomlish,	691	608	83	67	6	611	16					4	1			522		1		1
Cappamore,	660	768	70	80	22	701	47			2	4	5	1		3	606		42		
Castleconnell,	434	404	30	61	10	343	26		1		2	2	2			356		13		
Glin,	616	490	126	88	1	442	17					6	11			416		27		
Kilfinane	854	776	78	96	34	678	44				1	2	8			636		32		12
Limerick (Rural),	268	236	32	22	0	226	28		2		2	2	3			244		4		
Newcastle,	1 162	1,128	34	64	13	1,025	11			7	6	7	22	2		960		14		
Rathkeale,	762	657	46	43	9	614	56			1	1	6	16	1		694		32	1	
Total,	7,324	6 761	462	678	147	6 068	616		3	11	20	54	78	3	2	6,052		207	5	16
Limerick City,	2,679	2,136	543	163	66	3,997	472			4	23	62	326	6		1 346		41	6	
Tipperary North Riding—																				
Borrisokane,	377	319	64	44	12	269	52	1			1	5	3			312		2		
Borrisoleigh,	281	260	21	28	6	222	15				2	2	4			239				
Lorrha,	127	113	8	7		112	8									111		0		
Nenagh,	726	667	59	76	13	582	48		1	0	0	2	66			555		6	2	
Newport,	416	377	39	40	7	321	32					0	6			250		31	1	
Roscrea,	312	300	12	12		266	12					1				226		4		
Templemore,	464	430	34	28	10	361	36		2	4	0	13	5			246		10	3	
Thurles,	664	564	60	23	6	535	65		1	7	4	7	110			475		5	2	
Total,	3,370	3,029	299	269	55	2,711	361	1	4	16	10	34	202			2,601		74	8	
Tipperary South Riding—																				
Ballyneety,	330	274	23	16	4	256	22					1				207		10		
Cahir,	414	330	34	50	2	300	31				1	2	6			265		4		2
Carrick-on-Suir,	834	685	69	34	11	611	57			1	6	15	15			555				
Cashel,	674	498	76	42	6	453	67			1		6	33			464		4		
Clogheen	455	414	42	29	5	425	23			2	1	6	1	1	28	434		12	2	
Clonmel	1 445	1,157	288	68	69	949	222			3	16	14	68	2		1 031		22		
Dundrum,	626	539	87	32	6	567	32		1	2	1	3	1			542		38		
Mullinahone,	282	355	66	21	2	322	28	1			1	4	1			326		17		
Tipperary,	952	782	89	137	26	620	53				3	10	1	1		538		19	2	
Total,	6,024	5,329	761	559	130	4 764	602	1	1	6	29	66	116	4	28	4 642		126	4	2
Waterford—																				
Ballinamult,	176	157	22	14	6	146	17					1	1			135		3		
Cappoquin,	852	593	58	62	16	531	46					1	26			504		22		
Dungarvan,	773	658	115	109	37	489	76			1	1	6	36	1		450		16	4	
Portlaw,	468	277	61	44	16	232	42					4	3			343		26		
Tramore,	635	295	23	61	1	244	22				4	6	2	1		240		4		
Total,	2,903	2,080	280	340	75	1 746	203			1	5	29	63	2		1 761		70	4	
Waterford City,	2 239	1,661	578	212	139	1 348	389		12	36	62	92	391	1	4	1,104		27	4	
Total of Province	62 472	52 792	9,680	7,788	2 380	44 234	7,296	7	78	267	454	1,010	3,262	41	243	44 197	1	1,712	200	833
Ulster																				
Antrim—																				
Antrim,	666	669	79	120	27	480	62													
Ballycastle,	574	524	50	42	16	459	32		1	1		6	16			565		2	2	
Ballymena,	1 646	1 478	178	104	50	1 372	120			2	0	12	16	2		472		1		
Ballymoney,	922	838	84	144	16	692	80			0		4	24	1		1,374		18	1	
Carrickfergus,	441	395	46	69	18	326	28			1	7	4	28			786		12		
Glenarm,	474	450	44	124	28	308	21			1		6	3			345		6	3	
Lisburn,	1,986	922	184	164	47	746	107		1	3	4	7	1			287		18		
										5	12	13	48	1		781		21		
Total,	8,841	6,282	638	766	193	4,410	449		2	21	27	51	127	4		4,403		79	6	

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Province, County, County of City or of Town, and Police District.	Number of Persons Proceeded Against.							Number Committed (in some cases with Fine or Whipping)												
	Total.			Discharged.		Convicted.		Above Six Months	Six Months and above Three.	Three Months and above Two	Two Months and above One.	One Month and above Four teen Days.	Four teen Days and under	To Reformatory Schools	To Industrial Schools.	Fined only	Whipped.	To find Sureties or Recogni zances.	Deli vered to Army or Navy	Other Punish ments
	M & W	M.	W.	M.	W	M.	W													
ULSTER—*continued.*																				
Armagh:																				
Armagh,	884	692	172	102	71	612	100	—	8	9	26	18	62	—	—	533	—	58	—	24
Cresmaglan,	513	441	72	82	28	359	43	—	—	—	2	7	2	—	—	351	—	—	—	—
Newry *	624	312	81	84	27	228	54	—	—	2	3	19	6	—	—	205	—	4	—	—
Newtownhamilton,	638	531	107	240	50	295	57	—	—	—	—	—	23	—	—	268	—	18	—	—
Portadown,	1,426	1,226	181	185	36	1,043	122	1	1	—	16	58	65	1	—	1,023	—	34	—	2
Total,	4 057	3 636	627	802	225	3,128	402	1	4	11	49	83	155	1	—	3,080		109		26
Belfast, Town of,	15 508	2 581	2,977	2,178	1,420	6,253	2,557	2	70	112	132	427	2 068	13	14	5,424		13	26	
Carrickfergus, Town of,	174	150	24	57	12	93	12				2	6	4			90				1
Cavan:																				
Arva,	811	671	48	62	4	513	36	—	—	—	—	25	26	—	2	485	—	16	—	—
Bailieborough,	725	657	68	122	26	535	46	—	1	2	4	15	19	—	—	495	2	34	—	—
Ballyjamesduff,	679	593	74	72	16	521	58	—	1	—	14	10	11	—	—	521	—	13	—	—
Ballyrbet,	560	463	61	154	24	309	37	—	1	—	—	—	7	—	—	324	—	12	—	3
Cavan,	854	706	208	261	88	475	148	—	—	4	2	17	81	—	13	473	—	16	—	—
Cootehill,	517	456	31	45	17	411	44	—	1	6	2	6	27	—	—	417	—	2	—	—
Swanlibar,	514	776	38	248	33	527	13	—	—	—	2	6	27	1	—	475	—	37	—	—
Total,	4,851	4,300	551	975	172	3 326	373		4	6	26	98	224	1	15	3,190	2	133		5
Donegal:																				
Ballybannon,	592	553	52	56	12	491	40	—	—	1	2	15	28	—	—	443	—	32	—	2
Buncrana,	402	374	28	103	16	286	13	—	1	1	2	7	12	—	—	236	—	6	—	—
Carndonagh,	784	676	28	141	11	520	17	—	—	—	2	1	2	—	—	515	—	2	—	—
Donegal,	387	345	22	48	2	295	16	—	—	6	3	7	3	—	—	284	—	3	—	—
Dunfanaghy,	432	331	57	76	25	305	29	—	1	1	1	7	6	—	—	281	—	37	—	—
Dungloe,	447	412	35	108	7	304	23	—	—	1	—	5	4	—	—	312	—	11	—	1
Glenties,	289	270	20	7	1	263	19	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	279	—	2	—	—
Killybegs,	460	407	45	47	11	336	32	—	—	—	2	—	6	15	—	269	—	—	—	—
Letterkenny,	492	382	40	76	21	272	18	—	—	—	—	7	2	—	—	273	—	24	—	—
Ramelton,	746	670	76	116	11	503	59	—	—	2	3	13	22	—	—	534	—	43	—	—
Raphoe,																				
Total,	4 549	4 447	405	775	124	3,274	271	—	2	11	20	77	100			3,371		159	—	3
Down:																				
Banbridge,	735	685	75	115	11	541	94	—	1	1	1	24	19	2	—	503	—	14	—	—
Downpatrick,	815	733	80	101	20	632	80	—	—	2	4	11	30	—	—	538	—	7	—	—
Hillsborough,	1,017	920	91	165	39	771	52	—	1	2	2	6	14	—	—	747	—	30	—	6
Newcastle	653	567	86	82	44	425	46	—	—	1	1	5	15	—	—	448	—	1	—	—
Newtownards,	1,293	1,074	128	243	49	831	90	—	1	3	6	13	21	—	1	805	—	—	2	2
Rathfriland (except Newry)	764	654	110	154	46	499	42	—	1	1	2	6	17	—	—	522	—	6	—	1
Newry (Town & Dist.—Districts), *	91	372	244	74	33	298	206	—	2	4	6	57	143	1	—	684	—	—	3	—
Total,	6,955	5,246	813	933	242	4,317	571		6	13	30	123	294	3	1	4,300	—	69	6	11
Fermanagh:																				
Arney,	340	261	49	87	27	204	22	—	—	—	—	6	2	—	—	216	—	—	—	—
Derrygonnelly,	322	210	22	55	9	155	13	—	—	1	—	7	7	—	—	133	—	—	—	—
Enniskillen,	841	723	115	92	30	631	33	—	—	—	3	33	120	—	—	534	—	12	—	—
Kesh,	506	466	40	59	22	427	18	—	—	1	1	11	1	—	—	417	—	13	1	—
Lisnaskea,	629	574	55	79	21	516	34	—	—	3	4	26	30	—	—	483	—	7	—	—
Total,	2,648	2,264	284	229	109	1,935	120	—	—	5	13	83	161	—	—	1,816	—	32	1	—
Londonderry:																				
Coleraine,	1 170	1,009	166	261	55	726	111	—	1	6	6	18	75	—	—	704	—	22	1	2
Londonderry,	2 010	2,323	534	441	127	1 886	137	—	1	6	11	46	43	—	2	2,208	—	10	10	—
Magherafelt,	377	246	31	124	15	114	22	—	—	—	—	4	6	—	—	102	—	23	—	—
Maghera,	750	632	68	111	14	621	46	—	—	2	10	3	10	—	—	560	—	20	1	7
Newtownlimavady,	837	766	127	226	69	535	58	—	—	—	11	37	18	—	—	618	—	8	—	10
Total,	6,401	6 427	974	1,163	178	4,244	394	—	2	14	18	103	152	—	2	4,197	—	89	12	19
Monaghan:																				
Carrickmacross,	644	536	108	128	30	410	68	—	—	—	3	13	8	—	—	432	—	12	—	—
Castleblayney,	809	705	54	98	25	581	82	—	—	1	5	10	12	—	4	550	—	18	—	—
Clones,	623	564	69	82	19	482	56	—	—	—	—	1	6	—	3	516	—	12	—	—
Monaghan,	842	761	81	98	11	663	70	—	—	—	11	12	65	—	—	616	—	27	1	—
Total,	2 918	2 569	356	376	103	2 196	247	—	—	1	22	36	87	—	7	2,218	—	69	1	—
Tyrone:																				
Aughnacloy,	557	777	60	136	23	618	37	—	1	—	7	10	18	—	—	612	—	16	—	—
Cookstown,	567	502	65	53	26	416	37	—	1	2	5	8	3	—	—	420	—	6	—	—
Dungannon,	775	370	66	124	26	246	62	—	—	2	6	6	24	1	—	526	—	32	—	15
Newtownstewart,	536	436	38	116	22	298	47	—	—	—	2	11	11	—	—	270	—	28	—	4
Omagh,	1 893	1,334	109	304	44	890	125	—	1	3	22	49	94	—	—	917	—	25	—	1
Strabane,	1 202	1,014	188	202	34	782	124	—	—	1	20	18	123	—	—	726	—	12	—	20
Total,	6,499	4 832	647	1 138	178	3,714	468		—	3	11	67	109	275	1		2,505		113		40
Total of Province,	56,189	46,618	9 261	8,823	3 666	37,335	6,216	3	93	211	459	1,196	4,275	20	39	35,367	2	894	55	105

* See note as to changes consequent on Newry being made a joint station for the portions in Armagh and Down, p. 124, *supra.*

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PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	NUMBER OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST							NUMBER COMMITTED (in some cases with Fine or Whipping)											
	TOTAL			DISCHARGED,		CONVICTED		Above Six Months.	Six Month and above Three.	Three Months and above Two.	Two Months and above One	One Month and above Fourteen Days.	Fourteen Days and under	To Reformatory Schools.	To Industrial Schools.	Fined only	Whipped.	To find Sureties or Recognizances.	Dealt toward to Army or Navy	Other Punishments.
CONNAUGHT	M. & W.	M	W.	M.	W.	M	W													
GALWAY, EAST RIDING																				
Athenry,	489	457	32	23	14	435	18	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	447	.	4	.	1
Ballinasloe,	1,051	929	122	66	12	863	110	.	.	3	6	13	25	3	1	816	.	7	.	6
Ballyglass,	549	509	40	33	8	467	42	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	462	.	21	.	.
Loughrea,	884	772	112	43	26	734	87	.	.	.	1	6	26	1	.	706	.	23	.	1
Portumna,	294	286	08	24	16	248	18	.	.	.	.	5	12	.	.	243	.	.	.	.
Woodford,	828	330	3	13	2	312	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	311	.	1	.	.
Total,	3,494	3,143	345	200	68	2,949	277	.	.	3	7	30	107	4	1	3,011	.	56	.	4
GALWAY, WEST RIDING																				
Clifden,	842	744	98	61	44	683	54	.	.	.	6	10	.	.	.	618	.	17	.	.
Dunmore,	889	841	144	177	23	664	85	.	.	.	1	6	6	.	6	585	.	41	.	.
Galway (Rural),	188	155	33	31	16	124	13	.	.	2	6	2	.	.	.	130	.	6	.	.
Galway (Town of)*	1,736	1,202	534	285	130	807	636	3	1	4	13	61	103	3	74	313	.	26	3	1
Gort,	537	466	41	52	17	444	24	.	1	.	1	3	6	.	26	404	.	24	.	.
Headford†	361	326	68	44	13	279	40	.	1	.	.	1	4	.	.	293	.	18	.	.
Oatevard,	369	343	26	105	12	235	18	.	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	233	.	16	.	.
Roundstone,	404	324	100	69	60	226	60	.	.	2	2	7	14	.	.	253	.	27	.	.
Spiddal,	490	463	37	139	20	327	17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	327	.	17	.	.
Tuam,	486	433	55	199	27	234	28	.	.	.	2	11	12	.	.	224	.	12	.	1
Total,	6,436	5,324	1,116	1,212	368	4,112	727	5	2	6	27	75	149	3	97	4,167	.	670	3	6
LEITRIM																				
Ballinamore,	341	310	31	100	12	210	18	.	.	.	1	20	6	.	.	205	.	42	.	6
Carrick-on-Shannon,	486	448	37	66	4	382	33	.	.	.	1	6	26	.	.	346	.	6	.	27
Carrigallen,	267	251	16	40	17	211	18	.	.	.	.	4	6	.	.	209	.	4	.	5
Drumkeeran,	468	456	12	90	6	366	6	.	.	1	6	10	6	.	.	317	.	32	.	.
Manorhamilton,	544	489	55	85	25	404	32	.	.	.	.	5	6	.	.	401	.	26	.	.
Mohill,	427	377	50	155	26	443	30	.	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	436	.	25	.	3
Total,	2,952	2,736	316	616	83	2,217	187	.	.	1	6	52	60	.	.	2,062	.	134	.	37
MAYO																				
Ballaghaderreen,	577	528	52	81	18	474	34	2	.	2	.	1	6	.	1	458	.	65	.	.
Ballina,	1,077	914	163	186	63	728	64	.	.	2	2	10	21	2	.	737	.	53	7	.
Ballintrobe,†	802	765	85	125	35	643	60	.	2	2	6	17	32	.	.	552	.	64	.	.
Belmullet,	497	436	61	173	27	360	34	.	1	7	6	1	7	.	.	332	.	41	.	5
Castlebar,	412	337	76	35	15	802	61	.	.	.	6	1	6	1	.	331	.	60	.	.
Claremorris,	443	387	49	77	32	317	26	.	.	1	1	12	4	.	.	302	.	63	.	.
Crossmolina,	115	101	14	21	8	80	5	.	.	1	.	2	2	.	.	63	.	15	.	.
Newport,	404	359	45	161	24	194	21	.	.	.	4	7	6	.	.	156	.	13	.	.
Swinford,	1,545	1,358	187	477	137	881	68	.	6	1	6	13	6	.	.	694	.	16	.	.
Westport,	572	463	109	73	32	384	66	.	.	.	1	18	12	.	60	364	.	18	.	.
Total,	6,645	5,653	863	1,584	371	4,269	491	2	9	16	27	84	103	3	46	4,192	.	360	8	5
ROSCOMMON																				
Athlone,	595	516	69	40	6	476	66	.	.	.	4	1	7	1	.	456	.	17	.	.
Boyle,	832	745	87	279	44	475	43	.	.	1	2	.	7	1	.	436	.	5	.	.
Castlerea,	843	740	103	107	35	633	67	.	.	2	7	10	15	.	.	598	.	69	.	4
Elphin,	444	397	47	64	18	333	26	.	.	.	3	2	4	.	.	320	.	4	.	.
Roscommon,	832	721	111	85	29	686	82	.	.	6	3	6	21	.	5	654	.	21	.	3
Strokestown,	660	625	84	71	20	434	64	.	.	.	1	3	23	.	.	410	.	11	.	.
Total,	4,126	3,653	497	637	152	3,041	335	.	1	11	21	31	81	1	5	3,008	.	117	.	6
SLIGO																				
Ballymote,	778	636	92	186	46	390	46	.	.	.	10	3	.	.	.	392	.	16	.	15
Easkey,	694	640	54	160	37	440	37	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	429	.	31	.	.
Grange,	510	463	47	58	16	394	41	.	.	4	1	6	14	.	.	336	.	61	.	.
Riverstown,	185	166	13	38	6	117	11	.	.	.	3	2	1	.	.	104	.	10	.	.
Sligo,	811	671	140	163	98	863	102	.	2	3	18	66	121	3	14	446	.	20	.	.
Tubbercurry,	424	391	33	60	12	311	21	.	.	.	1	6	4	.	.	317	.	6	.	.
Total,	3,345	2,956	389	616	151	2,531	348	.	2	7	36	50	140	3	14	2,194	.	113	.	15
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	26,669	23,443	3,417	4,864	1,213	18,676	3,365	9	11	49	118	334	640	14	165	18,724	.	853	19	69
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	220,179	189,370	30,809	28 108	6,621	152,263	31,189	18	331	701	1,507	3,361	10,697	236	768	144,389	4	4,752	831	16,824

* *Vide* note (*) Table 5, *supra.*

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POLICE TABLE 3.—RETURN OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST FOR OFFENCES DETERMINED SUMMARILY. TOTAL NUMBER of PERSONS

OFFENCES PUNISHABLE BY JUSTICES.	TOTAL OF IRELAND.	LEINSTER.														TOTAL.	CLARE	CORK, E.R.	CORK, W.R.	CORK CITY.	KERRY
		TOTAL	CARLOW	DROGHEDA TOWN.	DUBLIN.	DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE DISTRICT	KILDARE	KILKENNY	KING'S COUNTY	LONGFORD	LOUTH	MEATH	QUEEN'S COUNTY	WESTMEATH	WEXFORD	WICKLOW						
Assaults Aggravated on Women and Children,	560	262	1	6	1	210	5	1	1	2	3	5	6	4	5	12	87	12	4	18	17	5
——— on Peace Officers, Resisting, Obstructing, &c.	4,195	1,610	35	—	23	726	36	46	43	65	30	41	63	44	33	75	1,180	113	146	260	95	135
——— Common,	22,685	6,551	155	60	166	2,416	332	454	265	451	564	593	297	348	512	399	6,473	809	1,630	1,248	1,296	1 695
Bastardy Orders disobeying	12	6	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Breaches of the Peace want of Sureties, &c.,	2,347	1,340	16	15	76	356	26	41	37	10	14	7	153	6	54	43	1,161	70	171	170	217	126
Cattle Plague Orders Offences against,	153	56	—	—	2	3	6	18	2	—	6	3	14	5	2	5	25	2	1	—	—	—
Chimney Sweepers Act, Offences against,	3	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	3	1	—	1	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cruelty to Animals,	644	163	1	3	16	65	16	6	3	13	2	1	16	3	6	6	295	15	46	45	71	43
Drunkenness and Drunk and Disorderly,	61,224	31 527	606	648	808	17,671	1,863	1,466	1,036	1,670	1,077	1,132	1 053	1,381	1,143	1,659	26,490	2 234	2 477	1,887	3,156	3 305
Factory Acts Offences against	25	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fisheries Acts Offences against,	787	111	2	—	1	3	4	6	—	—	—	7	1	47	20	3	134	3	67	36	13	23
Game Acts Offences against viz.—																						
Trespassing in the day-time in pursuit of Game,	502	173	6	—	7	—	24	16	27	12	16	21	10	14	14	5	147	16	3	15	—	76
Night Poaching and destroying Game,	15	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	7	—	—	—	—	7
Illegally selling or buying Game	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	3	—	—	1
Poaching Acts, 1862,	32	17	—	—	5	—	4	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	6	2	2	2	—	—
Other Offences against the Game Acts,	41	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	2	2	—	14	6	—	5	—	—
Licensed Victuallers Publicans, and Beer Acts, Offences against, viz.—																						
By Publicans	1 620	227	7	1	11	105	28	22	16	14	10	35	23	6	37	10	582	68	102	45	58	113
By Beershop Keepers,	1,268	862	14	1	77	634	37	30	14	—	—	16	11	3	20	19	2	—	—	—	—	—
By Licensed Victuallers,	56	52	—	—	—	42	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Offences under the above Acts,	702	446	5	—	36	264	10	22	5	—	1	3	13	11	8	13	102	6	3	3	2	27
Lords Day Act Offences against,	201	63	4	13	4	—	—	7	30	11	3	7	2	5	—	14	76	16	16	6	—	29
Local Acts and Borough Bye Laws, Offences against.	1,762	626	—	—	—	526	6	7	—	—	22	—	—	13	6	33	602	—	—	—	362	7
Maliciously destroying Fences, Walls, Gates, &c.,	262	66	2	2	1	2	3	11	6	3	2	3	16	6	7	—	105	6	11	11	36	20
——— Fruit and Vegetable Productions	55	26	—	—	—	21	—	—	1	—	—	4	—	2	—	—	12	—	2	6	—	4
——— Trees Shrubs, &c.	107	26	2	—	—	6	—	3	1	3	5	2	—	4	—	3	26	2	7	2	—	10
Other Malicious and Wilful Damage and Trespass,	7,604	2 124	24	12	22	726	242	46	124	16	321	84	162	75	133	11	2,327	269	371	306	150	524
Mutiny Acts, Offences against, viz.—																						
Army Act,	554	285	2	1	15	71	103	13	5	5	24	4	16	17	4	8	173	2	57	3	57	4
Navy Act,	176	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	160	—	160	—	6	—
Militia Act	121	26	1	1	—	11	1	6	—	2	5	1	1	—	1	—	71	8	3	2	43	4
Mercantile Marine Acts, Offences against	164	17	—	—	1	13	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	1	123	—	123	3	1	—
Nuisances, and Offences against Health viz. —																						
Public Health Acts,	424	10	71	4	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	69	6	3	1	34	—
Smoke Acts,	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sewers Acts,	41	20	—	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	—	—	—	9	7
Nuisances Removal Act,	2 614	2 683	—	1	2	2 743	6	4	—	6	—	16	6	73	0	13	435	12	4	56	223	16
Common Lodging Houses Acts,	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—
Selling and exposing for sale unsound Food,	38	43	—	—	—	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
Other Sanitary Offences	223	26	1	1	—	32	18	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	4	63	2	42	16	16	12
Pawnbrokers Act Offences against, viz —																						
By Pawnbrokers,	106	55	—	6	—	43	2	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	3	2	12	—	4	2	4	2
By persons unlawfully pledging or disposing,	67	21	1	—	1	9	5	—	3	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	6	—	1	—	1	1
Other Offences	56	51	—	—	—	41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	1	—	4	5
Police Acts Offences against viz —																						
Unlawfully possessing Goods	1,286	1,126	—	—	3	1,105	—	1	3	—	2	2	—	—	4	1	29	1	2	2	2	17
Offences punishable as Misdemeanors,	267	112	—	—	9	38	—	—	1	—	0	11	—	—	—	—	8	1	—	—	6	—
Constables neglecting the r Duty	16	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—
Other Offences (not falling under other special heads)	611	183	—	4	4	25	7	21	—	3	4	11	5	69	7	—	206	2	46	9	79	21
Poor Law Acts Offences against, viz —																						
Deserting or Neglecting to support Family	270	106	—	—	—	76	5	4	1	5	4	—	4	6	4	—	54	7	5	11	24	7
Disorderly Conduct in Workhouse,	224	88	6	1	—	13	5	6	6	1	3	6	3	18	5	11	71	8	11	14	—	13
Damaging Workhouse Clothing Bedding, &c.,	46	15	1	2	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	1	—	3	5	7	1	1	—	—	—
Revenue Laws Offences against, viz —																						
Customs Acts,	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	1	6	1	—	2
Excise Acts (including Hawkers and Pedlers Act)	921	126	11	2	6	21	16	4	12	2	5	12	3	5	16	12	183	12	7	16	1	46
Post Office Acts	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Refreshment Houses and Wine Licences Act,	27	7	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stamp Acts	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
Sale of Poisons Act Offences against.	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Salmon Fisheries Act, Offences against	466	42	4	2	—	—	—	17	—	—	6	—	—	—	2	6	230	26	77	26	21	63
Servants, Apprentices, or Masters, Offences relating to	2,427	426	6	6	2	226	27	26	8	1	61	8	26	8	76	1	616	101	179	58	272	114
Stealing or Attempts to Steal viz.—																						
Larceny by offenders under 16 years (Juvenile Offenders Act)	426	178	2	—	12	84	15	13	8	2	16	5	7	6	2	6	80	2	8	2	21	5
Larceny under value of 5s. and on pleading Guilty (Criminal Justice Act).	1,186	339	6	4	27	57	21	25	21	6	30	16	21	26	46	22	417	4	61	29	110	43
Larceny above value of 5s. on pleading Guilty (Criminal Justice Act)	322	283	8	17	5	145	34	17	1	8	7	14	4	7	6	8	215	12	25	14	64	16
Larceny or Larceny from Person attempting to commit (Criminal Justice Act).	337	172	1	5	11	49	30	17	3	1	16	11	—	5	11	3	224	16	45	17	100	11
Dogs, Birds, or Beasts, &c.	72	23	2	1	4	2	1	1	—	—	2	7	6	—	4	1	8	2	4	—	—	1
Fruit or Vegetable Productions,	176	56	6	4	5	—	21	2	2	—	5	6	2	—	1	3	54	8	12	5	—	14
Fences, Wood &c.	179	64	3	—	4	—	—	16	1	—	3	6	6	3	21	26	22	1	—	9	—	16
Trees, Shrubs &c.	116	39	3	—	—	9	—	6	—	—	1	—	14	3	7	1	26	—	22	3	—	2
Vagrant Act, Offences against, viz.—																						
Prostitutes,	2,404	2,273	—	10	—	2206	21	—	2	3	10	3	—	11	0	—	66	14	48	—	—	5
Begging	939	468	6	3	5	263	13	24	4	5	1	12	6	5	21	15	250	22	22	22	114	1
Having no visible Means of Subsistence &c.,	412	132	—	—	—	109	12	1	—	—	—	43	—	7	11	—	84	1	—	4	45	2
Having Implements for Housebreaking &c	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Found in enclosed Premises for unlawful purpose	76	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	—	1	1	—	1
Frequenting Places of Public Resort, &c. to commit Felony	78	66	—	—	—	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
Incorrigible Rogues,	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Offences under Vagrant Act,	196	30	—	—	1	2	3	—	2	2	68	—	2	—	—	—	72	9	2	—	2	66
Ways Acts, Offences against viz —																						
Stage and Hackney Carriage Acts,	4,120	2 636	—	—	—	2 634	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	462	1	—	2	302	14
Highway Act (including Road Nuisances),	28,861	16,667	242	28	662	1 296	864	782	1,062	481	256	1,128	943	524	632	333	9,315	1,372	1,646	1,360	83	647
Watermen's Act,	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Railway Acts,	232	73	—	—	1	51	2	—	—	5	1	10	—	6	1	5	71	1	25	5	6	—
Weights and Measures Act, Offences against,	2,884	742	25	—	124	—	45	26	10	22	64	124	51	26	62	125	725	75	170	90	22	25
Other Offences (not included under the above heads)	15 861	2,048	140	34	136	236	272	241	146	115	152	264	226	226	362	276	4,561	365	864	676	646	736
TOTAL,	223 176	74,246	1,420	613	2,326	57 463	4,112	3,844	2,634	2,971	2 626	3 443	3,224	3,267	3,753	2,261	62 472	5 776	9 173	6,902	5,670	8 45

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PROCEEDED against before JUSTICES, in each COUNTY, and COUNTY of CITY or of TOWN, specifying the OFFENCES, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871.

MUNSTER						ULSTER										CONNAUGHT						OFFENCES PUNISHABLE BY JUSTICES
Limerick.	Limerick City.	Tipperary, N.R.	Tipperary, S.R.	Waterford.	Waterford City.	Total.	Antrim.	Armagh.	Belfast, Town of.	Carrickfergus Town.	Cavan.	Donegal.	Down.	Fermanagh.	Londonderry.	Monaghan.	Tyrone.	Total.	Galway, E.R.	Galway, W.R.	Leitrim.	Mayo.	Roscommon.	Sligo.	
11	..	3	15	1	1	115	8	..	34	3	6	5	22	26	1	2	5	44	3	6	1	18	1	15	[from Assaults, Aggravated or on Women and Children
168	51	53	99	32	28	1,017	66	26	544	4	77	61	154	39	166	48	91	511	56	76	25	64	63	46	——— on Peace Officers Resisting, Obstructing, &c.
704	385	277	642	343	214	6,537	818	944	537	36	1,112	1,351	993	527	1,367	536	1,155	6,939	381	1,563	1,007	2,093	943	1,991	——— Common
..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	Bastardy Orders disobeying
97	..	32	73	92	77	471	93	137	..	16	65	34	56	11	3	24	65	340	14	125	67	26	75	33	Breaches of the Peace want of Sureties, &c
1	..	1	24	9	2	18	1	1	..	..	1	1	3	1	2	2	1	49	3	..	5	2	23	4	Cattle Plague Orders, Offences against.
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Chimney Sweepers Act, Offences against.
16	8	11	14	5	12	387	65	37	125	5	23	16	41	17	22	11	24	63	7	17	32	16	8	19	Cruelty to Animals.
3,205	1,618	1,467	3,205	695	1,067	26,426	2,461	1,647	6,011	60	1,743	1,468	2,652	1,166	2,222	1,690	2,636	6,885	614	1,854	613	1,551	1,002	858	Drunkenness, and Drunk and Disorderly
..	..	..	..	..	..	51	13	..	12	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Fuchsy ——— ——— ———
7	1	4	26	18	..	389	114	13	..	..	9	24	73	62	35	11	98	33	..	21	9	26	4	28	Fisheries Acts, Offences against.
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Game Acts, Offences against, viz.:— [Game.
17	..	11	14	8	..	135	16	6	..	..	37	28	5	16	12	16	6	147	31	13	14	52	13	24	Trespassing in the day time in pursuit of
..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	Night Poaching and destroying Game
..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Illegally selling or buying Game.
..	..	..	..	..	..	7	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	Poaching Acts 1862
..	..	1	..	..	..	12	1	..	..	..	..	7	2	..	1	..	1	2	..	1	2	4	1	..	Other Offences against the Game Acts.
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Licensed Victuallers, Publicans, and Beer Acts, Offences against, viz.:—
41	25	18	91	52	22	305	85	17	51	1	21	20	43	4	31	7	35	96	23	13	5	34	15	6	By Publicans
..	..	..	..	11	5	676	20	25	323	..	..	..	16	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	7	..	By Beersbop Keepers.
..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	By Licensed Victuallers.
4	..	16	6	5	22	125	97	29	..	1	18	8	11	1	14	1	8	25	..	..	2	1	11	11	Other Offences under the above Acts.
2	..	6	1	..	..	22	8	12	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	55	6	14	9	23	12	28	Lord's Day Act Offences against
..	..	..	35	..	..	865	..	31	244	..	30	..	234	..	47	92	..	25	..	..	..	..	26	..	Local Assessed Borough Bye-Laws, Offences against. [&c.
7	..	7	6	..	..	140	26	25	..	..	6	5	25	11	19	2	21	65	6	14	7	13	12	16	Maliciously destroying Fences, Walls, Gates,
1	..	..	2	..	..	14	..	1	..	..	3	3	..	2	8	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	——— Fruit and Vegetable Productions.
5	..	..	..	4	..	25	..	6	13	2	8	..	..	3	..	..	1	12	..	4	3	4	..	1	——— Trees, Shrubs, &c. [Trespass.
135	5	33	83	168	1	1,866	163	206	51	..	204	138	284	122	261	115	255	1,235	66	493	73	206	155	159	Other Malicious and Wilful Damage, and
7	8	19	6	4	8	66	6	8	31	..	..	..	7	1	6	1	3	6	..	1	..	..	8	..	Mutiny Acts Offences against, viz. —
..	..	..	2	..	1	6	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Army Act,
1	2	2	4	1	..	23	4	4	6	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	Navy Act
..	..	..	1	..	..	63	7	..	26	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	5	1	4	..	..	..	..	Militia Act
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Mercantile Marine Acts, Offences against.
..	..	..	12	3	..	226	..	..	..	..	22	1	4	15	178	2	3	117	53	34	7	23	..	..	Nuisances, and Offences against Health, viz.:—
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Public Health Acts
..	..	..	5	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	Smoke Acts
12	16	7	29	44	8	133	7	..	7	..	8	54	2	2	7	2	44	356	16	222	36	6	26	74	Sewers Acts.
..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	Nuisances Removal Acts.
..	3	..	3	2	1	24	6	6	8	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	4	7	..	1	..	5	1	..	Common Lodging Houses Acts. [Food
3	..	..	..	8	1	166	..	4	..	..	8	7	18	4	6	12	40	76	6	37	3	18	..	..	Selling and exposing for sale unsound
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Other Sanitary Offences.
..	..	..	..	..	..	81	2	..	24	..	..	..	1	..	6	..	1	6	..	6	..	..	..	..	Pawnbrokers Act Offences against, viz. —
..	..	1	..	..	..	46	2	..	56	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	8	..	1	..	..	..	2	By Pawnbrokers. [pawning
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	By persons unlawfully pledging or dis-
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Other Offences.
1	..	..	3	..	1	76	8	2	58	..	3	1	2	8	..	1	..	7	1	1	2	1	1	1	Police Acts Offences against, viz.:—
..	..	..	4	..	..	84	1	3	66	..	5	1	9	..	6	..	..	63	3	..	..	13	1	56	Unlawfully possessing Goods.
..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	5	1	..	..	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	Offences punishable as Misdemeanors
24	2	1	18	6	..	73	2	..	9	..	12	61	15	2	..	2	1	149	4	76	5	5	6	55	Constables neglecting their Duty
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Other Offences (not falling under other special heads).
2	..	..	6	..	..	28	7	7	51	..	6	2	2	2	11	4	6	13	4	..	1	5	2	1	Poor Law Acts, Offences against, viz.:—
4	1	..	16	..	1	48	1	6	12	..	12	2	5	8	2	6	2	27	3	3	3	12	6	..	Deserting or Neglecting to support Family
..	..	3	1	..	1	12	1	..	5	..	2	1	..	..	5	..	..	14	5	1	..	2	2	4	Disorderly Conduct in Workhouse [&c.
..	..	..	1	..	..	5	..	..	2	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	16	..	6	..	..	..	..	Damaging Workhouse Clothing Bedding,
45	4	22	18	18	..	424	41	5	94	..	8	107	36	2	26	22	26	176	18	76	6	21	18	28	Cautions Acts [Pedlers Act
..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	Excise Acts—including Hawkers and
..	..	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	5	1	5	1	..	5	..	..	..	Post Office Acts [Act.
..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	Refreshment Houses and Wine Licences
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Stamp Acts
8	..	26	12	7	..	76	26	..	..	..	7	17	..	15	8	..	16	63	2	3	..	53	..	3	Salmon Fisheries Act, Offences against
86	15	6	33	68	..	364	148	38	25	1	57	50	147	33	96	51	156	37	7	13	2	56	5	16	Servants, Apprentices or Masters Offences relating to
5	3	3	7	2	5	148	13	7	66	..	1	..	18	1	6	5	3	23	3	6	2	5	1	5	Stealing or Attempts to Steal, viz.:—
26	20	16	37	27	41	915	20	43	73	2	16	17	63	22	38	16	41	125	7	16	12	31	16	26	Larceny by offenders under 16 years
15	17	3	6	1	5	258	25	21	144	6	13	8	20	6	20	6	7	56	..	22	1	21	4	11	Of Cattle.
14	5	8	13	2	3	218	4	7	138	..	13	8	31	4	28	15	8	63	6	16	2	25	16	2	Larceny under value of 5s. and pleading
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Guilty (Criminal Justice Act).
7	3	2	2	2	..	25	7	1	..	..	2	..	5	1	2	3	9	5	1	1	..	1	..	2	Larceny above value of 5s. as pleading
..	..	2	..	9	..	51	24	4	1	..	2	5	9	..	7	1	3	15	7	..	1	4	2	1	Guilty (Criminal Justice Act).
..	..	..	..	..	..	16	..	4	..	..	6	1	2	..	..	..	2	37	..	29	..	1	7	..	Larceny or Larceny from Person attempted
..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	2	..	..	8	1	2	..	5	..	1	35	10	2	1	11	12	3	(Criminal Justice Act).
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Dogs, Birds or Beasts, &c.
6	8	11	12	8	26	125	3	13	66	..	6	..	28	..	23	..	20	10	6	..	..	..	..	4	Fruit or Vegetable Production.
3	..	..	28	1	..	144	28	16	42	..	21	2	17	1	16	2	8	47	18	8	..	2	6	13	Fences, Wood &c
..	..	..	..	..	..	23	..	1	8	..	2	1	2	..	2	4	3	132	..	106	..	..	8	14	Trees, Shrubs, &c.
2	..	..	5	..	5	59	3	1	31	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	Vagrant Act, Offences against, viz.:—
..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Prostitutes.
..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Frequenting Places of Public Resort, &c., to commit Felony.
5	..	1	..	..	..	26	..	3	3	..	2	..	10	2	..	6	..	3	1	..	..	..	2	..	Incorrigible Rogues.
..	37	..	..	..	..	71	..	6	44	..	5	..	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Other Offences under Vagrant Act.
213	68	1,336	1,017	672	16	3,293	330	394	91	9	527	340	437	153	359	107	282	3,525	1,322	1,015	342	1 618	1,214	475	Ways Acts, Offences against, viz. —
..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Stage and Hackney Carriage Acts.
4	..	9	20	..	..	182	15	37	8	..	1	3	27	12	23	1	24	50	12	4	..	3	11	..	Highway Act—including Road Nuisances.
95	161	55	26	37	46	1,028	535	112	47	5	159	16	122	59	60	63	36	380	91	86	36	55	73	73	Watermen's Act
472	81	229	316	285	15	5,181	704	414	1,174	16	553	634	459	134	611	196	326	2,389	274	764	214	810	341	195	Railway Acts.
																									Weights and Measures Act Offences against.
																									Other Offences—not included under the above [heads.
1,294	2,078	3 376	6,024	2 360	2 233	56 159	5 641	4,557	12,80	174	4,351	4,842	6 089	2 548	6 461	2 919	5,492	26 660	2 494	6 439	2 952	6,595	4 125	3,345	TOTAL

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POLICE TABLE 10.—OFFENCES DETERMINED SUMMARILY. TOTAL of PERSONS who were PROCEEDED against SUMMARILY before JUSTICES, for each Class of OFFENCES in the Year ended 31st December, 1871, and the RESULT of the PROCEEDINGS

OFFENCES PUNISHABLE BY JUSTICES	NUMBER OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST							NUMBER COMMITTED (with in some cases FINE or WHIPPING).													
	TOTAL.			DISCHARGED		CONVICTED		Above Six Months.	Six Months and above Three.	Three Months and above Two.	Two Months and above One.	One Month and above Fourteen Days	Fourteen Days and under.	To Reformatory Schools.	To Industrial Schools.	FINED.	WHIPPED.	To find Sureties or Recognizances	Delivered to Army or Navy	Other Punishments.
	M & W	M	W	M	W	M	W													
Assaults, Aggravated on Women and Children	689	676	133	89	33	587	100	2	25	24	47	48	29	4	.	135	.	51	.	11
——— on Peace Officers, Resisting Obstructing &c.	4,135	3,726	466	346	66	3,380	400	1	52	69	243	517	464	.	1	2,262	.	121	.	76
——— Common	22,965	20,524	5,361	6,931	3,475	13,593	1,886	10	45	75	412	1,229	1,664	11	1	13,014	2	3,013	3	372
Bastardy Orders, discharging,	13	11	1	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Breaches of the Peace want of Sureties, &c	3,247	2,837	389	631	368	1,778	612	.	7	6	10	55	83	.	.	1,033	.	675	.	244
Cattle Plague Orders Offences against,	142	135	2	15	3	122	5	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	141	.	.	.	.
Chimney Sweepers Act, Offences against,	8	8	.	2	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.
Cruelty to Animals,	644	553	85	167	34	563	51	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	287	.	6	.	11
Drunkenness and Drunk and Disorderly,	91,324	74,891	16,843	7,119	2,218	67,681	14,325	.	10	26	171	406	7,361	1	.	65,360	.	164	.	3,413
Factory Acts, Offences against,	25	25	10	6	.	22	12	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	26	.	.	.	4
Fisheries Acts Offences against,	767	758	28	136	3	573	28	.	.	.	3	7	6	.	.	577	.	.	.	.
Game Acts, Offences against, viz :—																				
Trespassing in day time in pursuit of Game,	602	601	1	144	1	457	.	.	2	.	.	11	3	.	.	428	.	1	.	.
Night Poaching and destroying Game,	15	15	.	3	.	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	11	.	.	.	.
Illegally selling or buying Game	5	5	.	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Poaching Acts 1862,	32	31	1	7	.	24	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	25	.	.	.	.
Other Offences against the Game Acts	41	41	.	12	.	29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	.	.	.	.
Licensed Victuallers, Publicans, and Beer Acts, Offences against, viz.:—																				
By Publicans,	1,320	1,134	186	207	58	867	140	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	845	.	.	.	22
By Beershop Keepers	1,266	1,058	208	194	36	803	171	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	735	.	.	.	266
By Licensed Victuallers,	60	55	7	7	.	46	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	.	.	.	32
Other Offences under the above Acts,	762	590	172	92	22	498	99	.	.	1	1	6	.	.	.	514	.	3	.	72
Lords Day Act Offences against,	291	285	6	114	3	171	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	174	.	.	.	.
Lord Acts & Borough Bye Laws Offences against	1,732	1,260	472	145	65	1,115	407	.	.	2	12	22	28	.	.	1,137	.	6	.	179
Maliciously destroying Fences Walls Gates &c.	382	339	43	161	12	106	31	.	.	.	4	11	6	2	.	105	.	6	.	3
——— Fruit and Vegetable Productions,	59	46	7	11	2	37	5	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	.	24	.	6	.	3
——— Trees Shrubs &c.	107	92	15	27	1	55	14	.	.	.	.	1	3	4	.	37	.	.	.	4
Other Malicious & Wilful Damage & Trespass,	7,384	6,261	1,123	2,103	422	4,142	616	.	1	2	21	86	121	3	1	4,681	.	54	.	112
Mutiny Acts Offences against viz :—																				
Army Act,	524	517	7	164	1	413	6	.	1	6	9	8	6	.	.	6	.	1	375	4
Navy Act,	173	173	.	4	.	174	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	166	7
Militia Act,	121	121	.	26	.	161	.	.	1	7	13	3	2	.	.	42	.	29	.	4
Mercantile Marine Acts Offences against	164	136	6	42	1	146	6	.	.	13	23	8	48	.	.	26	.	.	.	6
Nuisances and Offences against Health, viz. —																				
Public Health Acts,	424	387	37	183	8	214	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	227	.	.	.	9
Smoke Acts	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sewers Acts,	41	33	8	4	.	29	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	.	.	.	16
Nuisances Removal Act,	6,814	3,169	675	144	40	2,995	635	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	375	.	.	.	2,655
Common Lodging Houses Acts	15	14	1	1	.	13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	14	.	.	.	.
Selling and exposing for sale unsound Food	28	26	2	6	2	37	16	.	.	.	3	2	2	2	.	59	.	.	.	16
Other Sanitary Offences,	326	282	44	65	7	217	37	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	245	.	.	.	31
Pawnbrokers Act, Offences against, viz —																				
By Pawnbrokers	136	65	11	41	6	54	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	62	.	.	.	28
By persons unlawfully pledging or disposing	67	64	33	16	16	24	17	.	2	3	1	6	16	.	.	11	.	1	.	9
Other Offences,	58	51	27	7	5	24	22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	37
Police Acts Offences against, viz —																				
Unlawfully possessing Goods,	1,296	817	469	156	67	661	492	.	.	36	37	62	33	20	6	226	.	8	.	556
Offences punishable as Misdemeanors,	257	216	62	34	16	151	42	.	6	6	11	12	31	3	.	125	.	18	.	14
Constables neglecting their Duty	19	19	.	6	.	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	.	.	.	2
Other Offences (not falling under either special heads)	811	488	123	111	26	377	67	1	6	1	2	6	32	2	2	324	.	31	.	58
Poor Law Acts, Offences against, viz.:—																				
Deserting or Neglecting to support Family	270	221	49	54	24	167	23	.	.	14	17	30	24	.	.	42	.	1	.	61
Disorderly Conduct in Workhouse	234	122	112	21	16	101	53	.	.	3	7	62	23	2	1	5	.	1	.	1
Damaging Workhouse Clothing Building, &c.	48	26	22	6	3	19	20	.	.	.	3	13	11	.	.	6	.	1	.	.
Revenue Laws Offences against viz.—																				
Customs Acts,	27	27	.	6	.	22	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	16	.	.	.	.
Excise Acts (including Hawkers and Pedlars Acts),	821	726	201	195	71	527	130	.	6	24	3	2	7	.	1	316	.	.	.	1
Post Office Acts,	5	5	.	2	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
Refreshment Houses and Wine Licences Act,	27	26	7	.	.	26	7	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	26	.	.	.	.
Stamp Acts	4	2	2	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
Sale of Poisons Act, Offences against,	2	1	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Salmon Fisheries Act, Offences against,	433	429	11	136	.	287	11	.	.	1	1	7	3	.	.	266	.	.	.	.
Servants, Apprentices, or Masters, Offences relating to	2,427	2,042	385	772	201	1,270	184	.	.	4	14	38	44	.	.	948	.	52	.	264
Stealing, or Attempts to Steal, viz —																				
Larceny, by offenders under 18 years (Juvenile Offenders Act)	326	249	77	105	20	241	37	.	.	3	6	24	68	144	2	32	1	3	.	16
Larceny under value of 5s. and on pleading Guilty (Criminal Justice Act),	1,136	746	446	406	153	481	295	.	16	53	74	175	215	8	.	236	.	6	.	2
Larceny above value of 5s., on pleading Guilty (Criminal Justice Act)	822	473	349	112	65	261	284	2	101	115	138	126	122	2	.	65	.	7	.	2
Larceny or Larceny from Person, or attempting to commit (Criminal Justice Act),	537	412	275	263	135	152	90	1	24	33	27	42	42	3	2	35	.	12	.	11
Dogs Birds, or Beasts, &c.	72	63	9	31	5	69	4	.	2	.	.	2	1	1	.	67	.	.	.	1
Fruit or Vegetable Productions,	176	147	29	35	6	112	23	.	2	6	2	17	16	.	.	95	.	.	.	.
Fences, Wood &c.	179	103	76	25	7	75	72	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	140	1	.	.	2
Trees Shrubs, &c.	119	62	57	19	15	73	11	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	60	.	.	.	1
Vagrant Act, Offences against, viz. —																				
Prostitutes,	2,494	.	2,494	.	66	.	2,428	.	7	66	37	37	36	.	.	1,730	.	6	.	449
Begging,	636	445	191	121	94	324	406	.	.	.	1	101	211	7	261	3	.	.	.	155
Having no visible Means of Subsistence &c.	412	255	157	25	8	230	152	.	.	1	.	7	47	.	327	.	.	.	.	.
Having Implements for Housebreaking &c	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Found in enclosed Premises for unlawful purpose	76	70	6	40	6	30	1	.	6	2	3	4	6	.	.	1	.	6	.	.
Frequenting Places of Public Resort, &c., to commit Felony	78	57	21	21	6	36	13	.	.	.	4	3	12	.	.	.	.	11	.	13
Incorrigible Rogues,	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Offences under Vagrant Act,	189	171	18	68	7	162	11	.	2	6	.	10	25	.	60	4	.	1	.	.
Ways Acts, Offences against viz :—																				
Stage and Hackney Carriage Acts,	4,136	3,872	252	185	12	3,836	248	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	3,255	.	.	.	574
Highway Act (including Road Nuisances),	28,801	26,033	2,828	733	153	25,300	2,670	.	.	.	.	2	13	.	.	27,178	.	6	.	574
Waterman's Act,	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Railway Acts	302	295	10	60	2	269	6	.	.	.	2	6	13	.	.	256	.	.	.	7
Weights and Measures Act Offences against	2,834	2,068	516	161	34	2,207	482	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2,731	.	.	.	17
Other Offences (not included under above heads)	15,281	13,411	1,850	2,052	494	11,359	1,905	2	7	23	48	76	142	8	56	11,894	.	262	9	469
TOTAL,	229,179	189,376	39,803	28,166	8,621	161,209	31,183	19	391	701	1,257	3,381	10,657	236	726	144,366	4	4,782	581	10,024

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POLICE TABLE II.—RETURN OF CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST in each POLICE DISTRICT, on INDICTMENT, and SUMMARILY, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871.

PROVINCE COUNTY COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN AND POLICE DISTRICT	CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST ON INDICTMENT															CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST SUMMARILY													
	Known Thieves.		Prostitutes.		Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads)		Previous good Character		Character unknown.		Total.		Known Thieves.		Prostitutes.	Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads)		Previous good Character		Character unknown.		Total.	
	M.	W.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.
LEINSTER.																													
CARLOW—																													
Bagenalstown,	2	1					1			4				6	2														
Borris,										3				3							4	1	6		225	92		2	235	95
Carlow,	2	2	1	1						10		1		14	6	4	3	2	1	3	4	2	3		242	32	2	51	267	22
Tullow,	4	1								13		1		18	1	1	1		3		2	2	10	1	387	26	2		414	72
Total,	8	4	1	1			1			30		2		41	9	5	4	2	4	2	16	5	21	4	1,169	149	72	13	1,245	179
DROGHEDA, TOWN OF,	4	2								3				7	2	12	6	12	31	6	32	14	25	4	268	61	39	12	469	149
DUBLIN County (part of)—																													
Balbriggan,																													
Clontarf,	4	1		1		5	3			3		1		10	2						2				166	33	11		227	43
Lucan							1			6		7	1	17	3	1	2				2		6		630	42	95	3	772	91
Rathfarnham,										13	1	2		15	1						2		6	2	245	50	24		327	56
Swords,				4			1			6		2	1	7	1	1					1		2		494	41	70	2	594	43
										4	1			5	2	4					1	1	6	1	270	23		6	297	30
Total,	4	1		5		5	5			31	2	12	2	57	10	6	2		8	6	15	6	23	7	1,907	236	123	6	2,057	139
DUBLIN City (and part of County) Metropolitan Police District: Divisions—																													
A, City S.W.,	23	7	37			6	1	11	6	4		252	105	295	155	69	0	1,616	1	2	15	6	242	141	1,060	483	2,092	964	4,201	2,010
B, City S.E.,	11	4	64	1		2	2	5	1	16	6	219	63	248	132	21	6	2,763	24	54	62	23	115	67	2 520	376	4,216	337	7,020	3,146
C, City N.E.,	7	2	62	1	1	16	1	5	3	13	7	163	66	218	102	7	1	1,578	15	27	39	25	74	30	1,863	337	3,739	676	6,157	2,506
D, City N.W. & Rural,*	6		54	1		4		4		4		155	57	207	155	6		1,226	11	6	22	12	57	44	1,631	316	3,256	1,271	4,517	2,478
E, S. and Rural†	2	1	11	1		7		2		15	3	45	23	78	36	6		557	5	22	10	4	22	7	753	180	1,910	213	1,937	903
F, Rural,‡	3		2			1		2		9		27	9	43	11	36	14	244	10	6	25	7	171	47	615	569	792	530	1,857	655
Total,	52	14	240	4	1	42	6	29	10	61	16	901	323	1,090	654	146	36	6,894	66	150	167	74	697	336	7,420	1,828	16,150	3,922	24,649	12,434
KILDARE—																													
Athy,	4	2		4		1	1	1		6	2	4	2	20	6	4	7	3	7		6		6		453	69	13	2	539	102
Carragh,			2							2		5		7	2	1	335	16	2	46	12	13	7	144	22	64	33	283	453
Kildare,	1	1	1		1	2	1			4	1	1		6	2	1	5	129	94	16	22	0	106	26	432	132	46	15	964	325
Leixlip,				1		3				5		2	2	11	2			1	16		16	5	5		200	42	39		357	88
Naas,	2		1	2		4				16	2	5		29	3	6	3	12	32	5	7	2	16	3	664	54	20	6	561	86
Robertstown,						4	1			1				5	1				1		1		7		369	59	15		328	60
Total,	7	4	4	7	1	14	3	1		34	5	17	4	80	21	15	10	476	164	25	103	25	146	30	2,461	395	197	55	3,032	1,092
KILKENNY—																													
Callan,										1	1			2	1			6	1		3	7	2		547	71		1	625	81
Castlecomer,	1			1		4		1		24		1		32		1			4	5	4	1	56		161	53	6	1	227	66
Gowran										6	1			7	1						4		5		285	15	9		299	15
Johnstown,						1	1			6	2			7	6						6		6		285	16			307	16
Kilkenny,§	1	1								2				6	1						0	1	3		380	16			396	17
Piltown										3				6	1	6	16	8	16	16	16	5	31	14	410	45	160	35	686	129
Thomastown,	2	1								6	1	2		8	2				1		4	2	8		361	22	6		393	24
																	1	2	1	1			14		320	46	6		372	53
Total,	6	2		1		6	1	1		45	5	3		61	6	13	11	16	23	16	33	16	124	14	2,754	275	389	37	3,159	399
KING'S COUNTY—																													
Edenderry,										1				1					16	5	4				403	46	4		473	51
Ferbane						7				3	1			12	1				4		5				413	36			454	36
Frankford						1	2			1				2	2						5		13		735	36	2		785	37
Parsonstown,			1			2								2	1	1	2	9	5	4	6	1	16	5	376	53	39	9	476	75
Shinrone,						1	1			11	1			13	1						5		3		215	16	4		237	16
Tullamore,	2	2				7	1			7	1		1	18	5	18	4	16	83	20	111	15	169	9	320	44	49		533	102
Total,	2	2	1			18	5			29	3		1	49	12	11	6	19	104	29	136	16	197	10	2,163	285	98	9	2,513	731
LONGFORD—																													
Ballymahon,						1				3				4		1	1	2	2		7		9		429	34	2		483	37
Drumlish,						4				28	6			32	6						0	1	5		249	18			272	20
Granard,		1				16						1		17	1	2	1								251	32	843	57	1,126	90
Longford,										11	1			13	1	2	3	3	36	20	24	4	40	1	351	33	3,067	310	4,051	367
																					16	10	40	15	400	50				
Total,		1				21				42	7	1		69	8	5	5	5	40	22	39	20	56	16	1,429	93	3,911	367	5,932	514
LOUTH—																													
Ardee	1					1				6	3	7		17	2	3	2	5	7	2	3	3	17	6	535	64	41	8	676	81
Carlingford,	1					1				6				7		1	1		4	1	9		6		435	67	37	3	472	72
Drogheda (Rural),				1						1				1							12	6	18		370	66	7		443	72
Dundalk,		2				5				11	2		1	16	5	7	7	36	6	1	62	33	36	19	5,286	340	1,189	464	6,916	2,220
Total,	2	2		1		7				25	4	7	1	42	7	11	10	41	17	4	86	39	74	24	1,932	277	274	477	2,374	4477
MEATH—																													
Athboy,										3		3		3															
Dulcek					2					1	1	1	3	6	4	1		1	21		10		12		332	36	3	5	376	44
Dunshaughlin,										0	1	1		4	1				15		10	1	7		337	27	13	6	363	34
Kells,	2		1		5	3				6	3			14	3	1		1	21		8	1	1		235	26	8		267	35
Longwood,	1		1		0					13	7	1	1	23	8	1	1	5	40	4	10	1	1		453	24	7		495	37
Navan,								1		10	1	1		12	2				1	1	6		5		300	20	22	4	346	28
Slane,	1							2		4				7					15	1	6	12	37	1	315	44	176	35	530	76
Trim,	1			1						11	1			13	1				4		0		5		337	40	17		394	45
										2		4		7				1	2		2		14		183	18	4		231	20
Total,	5		2		10	3				32	6	5	2	56	13	3	1	10	123	3	60	21	75	2	2,618	226	273	27	3,174	293

* D, Rural part—Glasnevin to Castleknock. † E, S. and Rural—Crumlin to Sandymount. ‡ F Rural—Morrion Old Churchyard to Mount Malgrey, Killiney Hill. § Kilkenny, p. 142, supra.

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POLICE TABLE 13.—RETURN OF CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST in each Police District, on Indictment, and Summarily, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871—*continued*.

Province, County, County of City or of Town and Police District	Class of Persons Proceeded Against on Indictment														Class of Persons Proceeded Against Summarily											
	Known Thieves.		Prostitutes.		Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads).		Previous good Character.		Character unknown.		Total.		Known Thieves.		Prostitutes.		Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads).		Previous good Character.		Character unknown.		Total.	
	M.	W.	W.		M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	W.		M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.
LEINSTER—*continued*.																																
Queen's County *																																
Abbeyleix,				1			1		1		3	2	1		7	2					4	1	4	1	13		443	41	13	1	482	44
Ballickmoyler,			1								4	1			5	2					1				3		454	26	1		485	28
Maryborough,	3				1		1				13	2			17	2	2	1	2		5	3	5	3	13		368	59	7	1	766	66
Mountmellick,				1							8	1			9	1	4	2	1		6	4	4	2	16	2	547	58	20	2	694	72
Mountrath,	1				4						5	2			12	2					10	5	5		7		345	28			356	29
Rathdowney,											7				7												348	24			365	28
Total,	4		1	2			3		1		40	6	1		64	6	6	2	3		29	12	18	6	52	6	2,805	287	46	4	2,956	298
Westmeath:																																
Ballynacargy,											4	1			6	1					3		8	2	2	1	209	13	1		224	16
Castlepollard,					6						2		1		9						1		1		3		403	55	8	5	415	60
Delvin,					1						5				6								6			1	277	62	2	2	281	35
Glasson,					16	6					21	2	3	2	50	10	16	12	21	16	24	21			1		271	28	10	6	361	85
Kilbeggan,					2						9				12	1					6		7				214	6	25	2	345	11
Moate,								2			6	3			8	3									6	1	347	16	36	3	396	20
Mullingar,											3				3		31	10	28	6	15	15			108	18	827	76	116	7	992	150
Total,					25	2	2				51	4	1		59	6	34	12	59	35	27	164	12	142	42	2 446	227	201	24	2 964	403
Wexford:																																
Arthurstown,											4				4										2		357	16	8	2	383	21
Enniscorthy,					3						6				6		1	1			1	4	7	4	63	2	555	59	62	8	650	107
Gorey,	2	1			3	2					1	1			10	3	3	6			12	1	45	15	14	1	338	40	68		491	69
New Ross,	1	2			1						7				8		4	2			1	1	122	20	6		178	37	117	3	435	66
Newtownbarry,	2	1			1						5				8	1	1	2					6	2	7		243	63	14	7	327	84
Taghmon,					1						3				4						1				7		256	35			292	35
Wexford,	1	2		2	6	3					2	2	1		16	8	14	3	5	4	2	22	12	26	27	501	57	183	18	846	131
Total,	6	6		2	26	5					33	5	3		54	16	23	15	6	19	8	201	53	217	37	2 424	330	376	41	3,330	493
Wicklow:																																
Arklow,	2	4			3						15		2		22	4	5	1			12	1	7		23	1	426	29	26	1	570	33
Baltinglass,						1					3				4	1					1		1		1		387	16	4	2	408	19
Blessington,					1						1				1		2	1					1	1	1		290	12	6		309	14
Bray,	3		2	1	4	1			3	2	1	12	7	1	31	4	1		6	3	6	32	5	2	2		347	67	43	3	468	86
Tinnehely,					4							1			5				1	2	2		6		2		293	14	24		332	23
Wicklow,					1						3	6			10				1	4			3	1	15		362	26	14		402	28
Total,	5	4	2	1	13	2			3	2	32	2	10	1	86	12	12	2	8	28	6	46	14	36	1	2785	184	128	6	3 087	294
Total of Province,	164	42	261	24	2	162	35	25	16	457	76	672	374	1,774	764	276	120	7,161	589	323	1,075	321	1,623	528	34,663	4,725	13597	4 259	57 217	17,431
MUNSTER																																
Clare:																																
Ballyvaughan,											2				2								4	2	1		316	27	2		346	29
Carron,											5				5								1				477	56	5		533	56
Ennis,	2	2									16	6	6	2	32	10	6	3	2	2	10	4	30	16	26	4	549	26	36	1	672	47
Ennistymon,					2						4		1		7		1						7		16	1	1,037	66	10	2	1,122	64
Killadysart,											6	1	1		8								3				272	29	2	1	330	33
Kilkishen,	2	1			1						5	1			7	1	2						6		21		462	37	5		505	42
Kilrush,					1						5	1			6		2	4	4	1	2		6		21		784	72	10	2	867	103
Sixmilebridge,					2						12	1			14	1	1	4	2	4	8	6	8	3	21	18	777	72	10	2	907	102
Tulla,				2	2	1					3	2			8	3	1				2		2		2		466	36	5		427	39
					1						10	3			17	6					1		6		3		403	27	10	1	921	28
Total,	4	2		6	8	1					53	14	10	2	81	20	16	9	26	12	23	66	16	212	63	4 560	362	106	8	5 367	469
Cork East Riding:																																
Ballincollig,	1										16	1			11	2					3		6	1	7		464	68			597	72
Charleville,		1	1		3						12		6		26	1	1	1	6	7	1	2	1	36	6	703	93	67	16	866	116
Fermoy,	2	1	3		2						6		14		27	4		1	34	26	6	6	3	12	12	703	84	163	29	842	172
Glanmire,											2	2	1		2	2											172	12	4		177	12
Kanturk,	1			1	3						7	1			12	1	1		1	2		4	5	2	2	673	74	4	1	682	83
Kinsale,	2				2						5		2		16		14	4	6	10	6	29	11	36	14	387	27	165	27	654	68
Mallow,				1		1					24		14		24	1									7	6	576	64	16	10	599	80
Midleton,					1						3		4		8		1	3	13		2	6	6	32	2	434	60	36	6	511	80
Mitchelstown,	2		1		4	1	2				8	3	1		16	4	3	1	1	2		14	3	33	6	436	42	54	2	536	66
Passage,											5		1		6	1	5	5	12	17	28		2	65	26	483	49	142	36	631	151
Queenstown,											24	5			34	5	5	5	12	17	28	1	1	65	26	267	6			338	27
Youghal,	8		1		1						8	1			12	2	1	1	4	4	1	1		44	4	761	76	10	2	851	82
Total,	12	3	6	2	1	18	1	2		161	13	43		178	23	27	12	86	71	46	73	36	813	81	6 768	681	716	134	7,992	1 271
Cork, West Riding:																																
Bandon,	1				1						5		1		8		2	2	2	6	2	16		11	16	784	73	277	83	1,192	172
Bantry,	1			1	7						3				12		5	3		6	1	13		13	2	782	98	52		871	167
Castletown,											2				2		1				1	2		17		546	62	8		608	62
Clonakilty,	2	1			6		2		1		6		1		12	1		1	1	1		12	2	16	2	705	35	2	1	764	91
Dunmanway,	1				7	2		1			21	1	5	1	34	2	2	1	1	4		15	3	16	1	486	38	10		550	78
Macroom,	1			1							27	1			28	1	1			1	1	16		6		813	89	5	1	897	91
Skibbereen,		1			1						3		4		8	1	1							22		772	65			866	36
Skull,					1						6			1	7	1	1							22		466	25	1		507	26
Total,	6	2		2	20		2		1	76	2	6	2	110	6	10	6	4	27	7	6	112	10	6,346	603	382	85	8,616	892

* As to abolition of Stradbally District in 1871, *vide* note *a*, p. 122, *supra*.

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POLICE TABLE 11.—RETURN OF CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST in each POLICE DISTRICT, on INDICTMENT, and SUMMARILY, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871.—*continued*

PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN AND POLICE DISTRICT.	CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST ON INDICTMENT														CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST SUMMARILY													
	Known Thieves.		Prostitutes.		Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads).		Previous good Character.		Character unknown.		Total.		Known Thieves.		Prostitutes.		Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads).		Previous good Character.		Character unknown.		Total.	
	M.	W.	W.		M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	W.		M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.
MUNSTER—*continued.*																														
CORK City:																														
North District,	13	6					6	6	6	5	15	6	6	6	59	36	41	26	202	24	18	256	136	224	46	645	227	227	466	2,117	1,032
South, "	34	26	20	6	1	17	2	7	4	7	3	7	1	77	56	274	227	1,657	167	103	263	191	416	410	1 645	216	651	164	5,021	2,362
Total,	47	32	25	5	1	25	8	13	9	22	6	13	6	127	86	319	247	1,256	191	121	519	287	642	465	1 094	442	1 878	970	6,138	3 482
KERRY:																														
Cahirciveen,		1									6				2	1	1	2				12	6	23	2	1,023	115	15		1 223	126
Dingle,											11				11							1		2		166	60	500	5	671	41
Kenmare,											11	6			17	3					2			10		580	110	15		623	116
Killarney,	3	1				6					20	2	2		30	2	12	6	5	1	11	37	9	86	9	1 210	72	104	13	1 226	120
Killorglin,		1			1	2					14		1		17	2	2	4				22	6	16	1	845	100	66	11	647	124
Listowel		1		1	1	5					16				24	2	1		1	6		3		43		1,040	130	3114		1,726	131
Tralee,	6	3	3	1			1				19	2	2	3	28	12	2	2	5	7		6	16	27	5	1,102	184	93	22	1297	231
Total,	9	7	2	2	2	11	1			83	7	5	3	114	23	16	14	10	23	13	61	66	265	12	5 348	755	966	46	7,001	686
LIMERICK:																														
Adare,						1					3				4							16		21		632	51	33	3	676	54
Bruff						1	1				5				7	1			1	4		21	3	22	3	601	66	36	11	561	84
Callercontish,						2					6	2	2		10	2	1					6		6		516	21	45	2	606	28
Cappamore						1					15	6	1		21	2					1	16		4		737	63	6		763	76
Castleconnell,											6	1			8	1				2				4		371	25	27	1	424	36
Glin						2							2		3									4		490	18			508	16
Kilfinane,	1	1				2					16	1	2	1	21	2						1	4	12		754	64	9	12	775	70
Limerick (Rural),		1									2			1	2	2						5	4	6		724	34	15		250	36
Newcastle,						2					15				17					3		6	1	26		1 642	21	47	1	1 126	23
Rathkeale,	1						1					2			1	3						12	4	21		623	41			957	49
Total	2	2				11	3			78	9	7	2	92	15	4		1	17	1	74	10	131	2	8,314	414	221	28	8,761	462
LIMERICK City,	6	4	6	3				5	3	35	2	0	1	42	15	12	9	36	24	8	7	2	55	10	1 931	458	61	24	2126	558
TIPPERARY, NORTH RIDING:																														
Borrisokane,	3						2			5				6	2				1	1	2	8	4	7	3	294	54	3		312	64
Dorrisoleigh,						1				3	1	1		11	1					1		3		5		251	26	1	2	283	21
Lorrha,										4				4										1		115	4			119	4
Nenagh,	3	1		2		2				6		1		17	1		1	7	16			6	2	15	2	566	51	26	5	667	66
Newport,						6				14	2	1		22	2							7	1	5		249	37	25	1	327	35
Roscrea	2									6				5		2	1				1	6		6		192	16	30		236	12
Templemore,										12				12		0	3	2	1	4		7	1	9	1	398	37	16	5	420	54
Thurles,					1					21				21	1							15	4	25	12	443	66	41	6	604	90
Total	8	1		2	1	16	2			77	3	3		108	7	10	5	17	12	7	53	12	115	21	2 631	277	198	37	3,026	256
TIPPERARY, SOUTH RIDING:																														
Ballynesty,										2	1	1		3	1									12	1	262	24		1	274	26
Cahir	1			1						5				7					16	1		1	1	24	4	258	17	2		306	34
Carrick-on-Suir,	1	2				3				1		1		6	2	16	6	7	3	2	6			12	6	727	85	76	13	945	65
Cashel										5				5										17	2	476	28	11	10	498	76
Clogheen,	3	1	2			4	1	1		4	1			9	1						3	1		16		466	29	35	2	494	32
Clonmel,										4				4		22	10	35	5	2	26	22	62	26		968	172	73	17	1,157	288
Dundrum								2		25	6	2		33	8						1		12			544	37	32		585	37
Mullinahone,										18	5	1		24	6								11			342	20			353	20
Tipperary	10	3	1	4		6	2	2		4	2	1		27	8	26	15	20	10	10	62	6	6	35		625	4	46	4	765	69
Total,	15	7	2	6		13	3	4		61	26	5		133	23	46	31	72	15	14	112	31	174	74	4,690	566	275	66	5,523	701
WATERFORD:																														
Ballinamult										1				1										1		150	22			187	22
Cappoquin				1		1	1			2	3	2		8	4			2	6	2	2			29	3	521	49	23	2	626	55
Dungarvan,		1	2			2		1		1		2		6	1			1	6		1	10	1	501	67	45	15	638	113
Portlaw	4	1								3				3	1							7		270	61			277	61
Tramore,	2	1								1				4	1				4	2				37		236	16	10	3	205	28
Total,	6	3	2	1		3	1	1		10	2	4		25	9			3	16	4	3	1	84	4	1 849	247	64	21	2 089	289
WATERFORD City,	1	1								17	5		2	16	6	15	7	66	18	11	28	167	114	16	1 113	347	671	22	1,601	576
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	115	66	36	25	5	114	16	36	12	615	62	104	16	1,002	246	461	247	1,616	473	255	1 066	541	2 267	735	42,580	5,106	4,876	1 048	52 702	3 066
ULSTER																														
ANTRIM:																														
Antrim,										6	5			6	2	1		4	3	1	4	1	20		455	55	32	18	609	75
Ballycastle						3	1			2				6	1		1	1	7	7	3	2	10	1	601	27	5	1	624	50
Ballymena,	2									6	4			10	4	4	4	6	2	3	61	21	55	16	907	66	367	96	1,475	179
Ballymoney				1		2				6	3			6	3			4	25	25	5		11	1	555	46	298	21	936	36
Carrickfergus,	2					1	1			3		1		9	1	3	2			6			7	0	596	35	41	1	695	45
Glenarm,																2	4	5	6	3	6	2	26	2	344	25	25	2	430	44
Lisburn,	4	1	2	3	1	2								0	4	10	6	15	93	30	66	18	42	7	870	67	87	11	952	134
Total,	8	1	2	4	1	8	2			29	8	1		46	14	20	17	32	146	75	113	36	191	32	3 658	236	874	110	5,362	589

a Unclassified in return. b 100 unclassified in return.

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POLICE TABLE 11.—RETURN OF CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST in each POLICE DISTRICT, on INDICTMENT, and SUMMARILY, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871—*continued*

PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT	CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST ON INDICTMENT—														CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST SUMMARILY											
	Known Thieves.		Prostitutes		Vagrants, Tramps and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads)		Previous good Character		Character unknown.		TOTAL.		Known Thieves.		Prostitutes		Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence		Suspicious Characters		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads)		Previous good Character		Character unknown		TOTAL.	
	M	W	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
ULSTER—*continued.*																														
ARMAGH																														
Armagh,	1	2				2				19	2		2	22	6	3	3	14	19	15	17	9	31	15	673	89	90	27	993	179
Cresswaglen,	2	1					1			17				16	2			1		1	4	2	4	1	433	32			441	76
Newry,*						2				25		11		38		2	1	2	3	2	7		43	29	324	39	225	11	313	81
Newtownhamilton,	1		1			1	1			53	5	3		58	7	2	1	3	23	11	19	5	23	4	557	75	110	9	331	127
Portadown,	4		1			6				39	1	1	.	49	2	13	5	10	41	9	38	13	72	17	914	169	162	29	1,222	151
Total, .	8	3	2			11	2			123	8	15	2	157	17	20	10	36	95	36	80	33	178	57	3 001	363	589	79	3,330	627
BELFAST, Town of,	25	6	4	10	—	99	—	—	—	3	—	3	2	77	15	190	310	700	650	116	1 370	1 287	190	210	2 920	320	2 205	945	2 551	3 027
CARRICKFERGUS, Town of,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1		2	1	3	4	3	1		4	3	137	13	2	1	130	24
CAVAN																														
Arva,	1				.	4	1			19				23	1			3		7	—	7	1	580	26	7		571	40
Ballieborough,					4	4	2			8				12	2	2		3	8	1	22	2	16	3	196	59	36	1	987	39
Ballyjamesduff	1				1	9		1		2	1	.		13	2			5		4	13	3	21		550	64	10	4	636	74
Belturbet,			1			1				3	1	1		10	2		2	17	26	21	41	1	24	5	271	12	97	5	430	61
Cavan,	.					3				9	1	2		14	1			9	20	15	35	19	49	15	810	119	143	44	756	208
Cootehill,	.		1							12				13	1			2	1	1	2	1	2		440	57	5		496	61
Swanlibar,	.				1					51	2		.	53	3			—	2	2	0		4		738	27	22		775	30
Total,	2	.	2		1	20	3	1		119	5	3		133	11	2	2	35	97	44	129	25	113	23	3,656	369	310	54	4,300	513
DONEGAL																														
Ballyshannon,		.					2			23	2			23	4	2	1	3		1	7		4		527	49	19		552	83
Buncrana,						.	.	.	.	3		1	.	7	1		1						4		364	29	9	1	374	28
Carndonagh,						5	1			5				6					4		24		45		607	22	6	9	670	29
Dunfanaghy,						3					2	1		4	3				1		3		9		334	23	1		359	22
Dunglo,										6				5		1					2				373	57			431	57
Glenties							.	.		1				1					1	1			4		457	24			482	30
Killybegs,										3				3		.		.	4	3			6	4	286	11	22	2	330	29
Letterkenny,				1	1	1				2			.	5	1	2		1					11	2	350	92	12	3	467	43
Rawcliffe,						2	2			25		1		31	3				5		52	14	5	1	264	5	36	20	962	40
Raphoe,	1			1		2				25	5			30	6			24	6	4	7	4	32	5	281	32	14	—	979	79
Total,	1			2	1	12	5			139	10	3		118	18	5	2	28	29	10	95	18	125	13	4 053	291	167	37	4,447	385
DOWN																														
Banbridge,	1				1	2	1			22	0	0	.	24	7	1	2	11	18	—	19	4	73	19	966	31	24	3	630	75
Dewapatrick,										7	.			7		2	2	3	10	2	13	1	28	2	544	55	38	2	703	59
Hillsborough	1		1			1	1	1		7		4		14	2	0	3	6	7	2	13	4	36	4	957	70	14	3	926	51
Newcastle,						2				3	1			6	1			10	24	19	4	1	5	3	464	61	20	5	557	55
Newtownards,				1		2				1	1	0		7	1	16	8	7	21	19	21	8	59	9	911	79	142	18	1 074	129
Rathfriland									.	2	3			9	2			6	14	4	22	2	19	2	512	53	90	5	654	103
Newry Town and Sub-district,*	2	1		2	1	2						1		7	2	17	12	28	12	7	12	8	30	9	240	91	271	180	872	244
Total,	4	1	1	3	2	9	2	1	.	51	9	11	—	72	15	44	29	72	106	48	104	29	227	50	4 972	401	097	141	5 246	913
FERMANAGH																														
Armoy,						1				10				19		1	1	1	3	1	8	1	18	1	503	42	17	2	291	49
Derrygonnelly,		.				—				5	1			8	1						9		26	1	103	19	19	2	210	32
Enniskillen,	1			1		1	1			17	1			19	3	1	.	19	59	14	24	2	48	12	518	50	90	12	723	118
Kesh,										4	1	1	.	5	1		1				1	1	5		457	68	8	—	488	49
Lisnaskea,						0	.			0	1	1		10	1		2	.	3		1	—	14	5	295	41	51	9	374	56
Total,	1				1	3	1	1		42	4	2	.	49	6	2	5	20	36	15	57	4	106	23	1 985	120	179	22	2,264	284
LONDONDERRY																														
Coleraine	2					3	2			13	2			22	5	7	2	3	27	02	31	3	55	12	733	102	153	10	1 002	166
Londonderry,			1				1		1	9	1	3	1	18	5	5	4	19	32	02			102	7	1 000	85	1 184	413	2 026	581
Maghera										27	3			27	3			3			4			1	631	22	8	2	640	27
Magherafelt				2		1				17	3			25	2	1	1	3	2	2	5	1	3		973	60	5	2	042	60
Newtownlimavady,		1				1	.			11	0			12	2				3	3			11	2	757	113	5	2	780	127
Total	2	1	1	2		4	3	1	.	92	10	3	1	24	10	11	7	09	84	53	40	4	174	22	3,779	389	1 369	449	5,427	974
MONAGHAN																														
Carrickmacross,	2		2	1		5	2			10		3	.	21	6			14	6	15	17	1	12		492	72	11	3	539	101
Castleblayney,	3	1				2		1		44	4	1	.	51	5	17	1	9	25	3	35	10	64	10	489	47	72	4	776	94
Clones,						1				4	1			5	1	2	1	7	20	9	14	6	5	3	593	25	20	2	664	66
Monaghan,	1	1	4	1		9	1	.		18	1			29	7	4	3	4	30	14	32	18	32	5	525	24	61	5	781	91
Total, .	3	2	7	2		17	5	1		76	8	4		106	18	23	5	34	131	40	122	35	113	28	2,919	168	164	13	2 985	366
TYRONE																														
Aughnacloy,	.	.		1	1	.	0	.		17	2	.	.	10	0	.	1	7	13	5	31	14	25	2	659	23	69	3	777	20
Cookstown	.	.			0	.	.	1	—	72	1	2	.	78	4	2	2	4	14	4	3	2	7		442	49	25	13	502	65
Dungannon	.	0			.	1	1	.	1	37	3	1	1	03	7	.	.	0		4	2	2	30	0	653	39	97	12	973	50
Newtownstewart,										15	5			15	6	.	.	5	2	5	2	2	7	2	479	69	2	3	485	69
Omagh		2		1		1				18	5			10	0	7	13	43	01	14	34	13	175	21	1,111	69	29	.	1,384	153
Strabane,	2					2	2			28	0	.	.	32	9	0	2	5	5	4	13	5	35	44	914	102	35	13	1,014	139
Total, .	3	4		2	4	4	7	1		130	21	3	1	107	37	12	18	67	73	30	75	43	291	75	4 153	380	254	35	4,852	647
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	60	17	19	35	10	114	28	3		901	84	59	10	1,009	135	231	412	1,170	1,433	491	2,167	1,509	1,824	535	39,557	3,273	7,807	1,893	46,915	9 291

* See note as to changes consequent on Newry being made a joint station for the portions in Armagh and Down, p. 124, *supra*.

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POLICE TABLE 11.—RETURN OF CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST in each POLICE DISTRICT, on INDICTMENT, and SUMMARILY, in the Year ended 31st December, 1871—*concluded.*

PROVINCE, COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND POLICE DISTRICT.	CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST ON INDICTMENT														CLASS OF PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST SUMMARILY											
	Known Thieves.		Prædials.		Vagrants, Tramps, and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads).		Previous good Character.		Character unknown.		Total.		Known Thieves.		Prædials.	Vagrants, Tramps and others without visible means of subsistence.		Suspicious Characters.		Habitual Drunkards (not under preceding Heads).		Previous good Character.		Character unknown.		Total.	
CONNAUGHT	M.	W	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W	M.	W	M.	W	M	W	M.	W	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W	M	W
GALWAY, EAST RIDING																													
Athenry,						1								1															
Ballinasloe,	2	2				1	3			6	1	1		10	1							4		446	39	6		467	52
Ballygar,						1	1			2				3	1	5	5	5	33	9									
Laughrea,										6		1		6	1				1		72	26	29	5	869	54	166	24	626	122
Portumna,				1		6				7	2	2		13	2	4	2	7	16	16			1	2	493	45			566	48
Woodford,						2				1				2				3	1		17	2	22		712	73	6	5	776	112
										1				1							1		2		269	26			295	26
Total,	2	2		1		6	4			25	3	4		46	9	9	6	15	50	25	90	33	53	6	2,877	220	264	29	3,140	345
GALWAY, WEST RIDING																													
Clifden,										8	1			9	1										736	92	6	6	744	98
Dunmore,										20	2			20	2							5			635	121		1	641	144
Galway (Rural),		1								1				1	1		1	11	1						165	23			165	23
Galway Town a	1	1	2			6	2	3		75	2			23	5	3	10	110	20	24	266	41	254	27	498	224	159	22	1,202	324
Gort,						1				3	0			4	2						4	2	18	1	474	37		1	496	41
Headford, b						1				10	2			11	2						1		2		320	56			323	56
Oughterard,										2				2									1		340	26			342	26
Ramsetone,										16				16											315	106			324	110
Spiddal,						2				9	0			11	3										453	37			463	37
Tuam,				1		2				7	1			10	1			6	5	3	3	1	6	1	467	46	12	4	483	55
Total,	1	2	2	1		6	0	3		92	16			167	26	3	11	132	26	27	274	44	284	29	4,846	827	172	34	5 834	1 113
LEITRIM																													
Ballinamore,										22	3			26	5				1	1		16		466	36	3		516	51
Carrick-on-Shannon,	1					1	1			7				8	1			1			6	2	2	5	437	31	3		449	37
Carrigallen,										4				6							7		1		249	8			261	36
Drumkeeran,						1				12	2			13	2						1		9		442	6	13	1	456	20
Manorhamilton,										13	1			16	1		1								480	54	6		486	55
Mohill,										16	2			18	2			2					5	2	672	46			677	50
Total,	1					2	1			83	8			96	6		1	3	1	1	14	2	20	9	3 670	265	26	1	2,783	219
MAYO																													
Ballaghadereen,	1			6		4		6		24	7	1		36	7	1		2	5	5	4		152	1	466	44	6	2	525	52
Ballina,	1			2		2	1			3				6	1			2	23	16	2		16	10	216	167	55	26	314	163
Ballinrobe, b							1			7		1		8	1			1	3	1	6	6	6		702	69	14	3	736	98
Belmullet,																					1	1	1	1	417	59	16		435	61
Castlebar,	3	2						4	5	7	7	9	6	6	6	4					6		12		175	34	137	27	327	76
Claremorris,		1								12	2			12	3			5	2	13	4	6			362	41	6	2	384	49
Crossmolina,																				3					67	14	1		101	14
Newport					1					5	2			4	2			2		1		16		2	239	43	0		356	45
Swinford,	1				3					25	5			30	5				1	3	5	2	20		1,251	170	60	12	1,358	187
Westport,		1			2					15	6			20	7	0		6	9		30	5	10		906	161	12		463	105
Total,	6	4		8		13	2	2		162	22	6	5	134	23	5	3	13	47	29	66	16	186	17	4 986	782	330	70	5,602	652
ROSCOMMON																													
Athlone,										7				7				7			4	4	6	4	454	36	0	3	516	50
Boyle,	1		1			1				4				5	1		2	5	2		6	1	6		731	70			748	87
Castlerea,										13	1			12	1	4	2	4			4	2	6	4	726	66			740	102
Sipbin										5				5									5		382	45		2	387	47
Roscommon,					1					4	1	2		8	1				2	2	16	4	5		701	102		2	721	111
Strokestown,										0	0	1		10	5			1	5				5	1	595	70	16	3	625	94
Total	1		1			2				42	7	4		49	8	4	4	17	9	6	24	11	30	6	3,546	423	22	10	3,836	487
SLIGO																													
Ballymote,										11	1			11	1										555	92			665	93
Easkey,										13	2			13	2				1	1	1		16		525	66	46		590	64
Grange,										10				10											455	57			465	57
Riverstown,					5					21				27	1							4			151	17			156	13
Sligo,	1	1	1		2	1				6	6	1		10	6	5	3	6	15	17	9	6	25	7	555	67	32	11	571	143
Tubbercurry,		1								14	1			14	2	1	1	2					6	1	562	69			581	82
Total,	1	2	1			8	1			87	7	1		97	11	6	4	11	16	18	9	6	47	8	2 905	341	63	11	2,945	399
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	12	16	4	7	.	41	11	6	—	432	60	15	6	513	90	36	31	102	156	114	516	161	639	76	31,288	2,745	826	156	23,443	3,417
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	221	135	319	94	17	451	23	70	28	2,000	226	1,144	407	4,051	1,252	2,116	616	16144	2 756	1,173	4 521	2 472	6,633	1,300	132 038	16 281	32108	7,254	180 376	60,206

a *Vide* note *a*, Table 5, *supra*

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INQUESTS.—I. RETURN BY CORONERS OF THE NUMBER OF INQUESTS held in each Coroner's District in the Year 1871, touching the Cause of the Death of any Person and the Amount of Costs including Salaries, Fees, Allowances, and Expenses.

CORONERS' DISTRICTS IN BARONIES COUNTIES, AND PROVINCES.	Number of Inquests—Age and Sex.																								Total Number of Persons on whom Inquests were held		Finding by the Jury—Nature of Verdict.																												Amount of Costs.		
	Infants (Legitimate)				Infants (Illegitimate)				Children under 16 and above 7 years.				Adults 16 years and under 60.				Aged and Infirm, 60 years and above				Age unknown						Wounding of Victim by Wife, Master, &c. (natural Father Husband, Sons of Widow aged 70 years and upwards)		Other Verdicts of Murder		Manslaughter		Justifiable Homicide including Execution		Suicide or Self-murder.		Accidental Death.		Injuries causes unknown		Found Dead.		Natural Death.						Other Causes.																			
	1 year and under		1 year and above 7 years		1 year and under		7 years and above 1 year																		

INQUESTS.—I. RETURN BY CORONERS OF THE NUMBER OF INQUESTS held in each Coroner's District in the Year 1871, touching the Cause of the Death of any Person, and the Amount of Costs, including Salaries, Fees, Allowances, and Expenses—*continued.*

| CORONERS' DISTRICTS IN BARONIES, COUNTIES, AND PROVINCES | Number of Inquests.—Age and Sex. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Finding of the Jury.—Nature of Verdict. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

INQUESTS.—I. RETURN BY CORONERS OF THE NUMBER OF INQUESTS held in each Coroner's District in the Year 1871, touching the Cause of the Death of any Person, and the Amount of Costs, including Salaries, Fees, Allowances, and Expenses—*concluded.*

| CORONERS' DISTRICTS IN BARONIES, COUNTIES AND PROVINCES. | Number of Inquests.—Age and Sex | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Finding of the Jury.—Nature of Verdict | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

INQUESTS 2.—SUMMARY OF RETURNS OF CORONERS showing Classification of Ages, Sexes, and in case of Infants, Legitimacy for each Class of Verdict.

	Infants.								Children under 16 and above 7 Years		Adults 16 Years and under 60		Aged and Infirm 60 Years and above.		Unclassed, viz.:—Age unknown and Verdicts of 1870 for Town of Galway		Total Number of Verdicts.	
	Legitimate.				Illegitimate.													
	One Year and under		7 Years and above 1 Year		One Year and under		7 Years and above 1 Year											
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.
Verdict of Murder, Infants 1 year and under	.	1	.	.	13	7	—	.	.	.		.	.	.	.	.	13	8
Verdict of Murder, Other Murders,	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	17	6	2	2	2	.	22	10
Manslaughter,	1	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	3	2	22	3	1	2	1	.	31	9
Justifiable Homicide,	.	.	.	.	.	.			—	—	3	.		.	.	.	3	.
Suicide or Self Murder,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		71	27	15	5	7	.	93	32
Accidental Death,	20	13	31	72	15	11	13	8	53	17	423	98	80	49	21	6	739	947
From Injuries, Causes unknown	3	1	3	1	1	1	.	.	1	.	26	11	1	2	.	.	34	16
Found Dead,	20	13	14	6	17	13	8	2	8	3	149	45	65	20	13	8	294	124
Excessive Drinking,	.	.	.	.	.				1		79	22	11	4	1	1	92	27
Diseases aggravated by Neglect.	.	1	.	2	2	2	1	.	2	3	27	6	24	15	1	.	57	31
From Want, Cold, Exposure &c.	2	3	2	.	7	2	.	1	1	.	31	13	27	8	.	.	70	26
Other Causes,	12	9	7	8	9	8	5	2	12	10	347	157	191	115	18	11	603	317
Total Number of Persons,	64	47	113	91	66	50	28	15	76	35	1,193	387	433	230	40	22	2,047	947

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PROCEEDINGS in Districts Specially Proclaimed under PART II. of the PEACE PRESERVATION ACT, during Year 1871.

County.	Barony.	Parish.	Date of Proclamation of District	Number of Persons convicted of Carrying Arms without Licence in District (sec 6)	Number of Warrants issued to Search for Arms (sec 10)	Number of Summonses issued to Persons to give Evidence (sec 13)	Number of Persons punished for refusing to give Evidence (sec 13)	Number of Warrants issued to search for Documents in Handwriting of Persons suspected of Writing Threatening Letters (sec. 15)	Number of Notices issued by Lord Lieutenant revoking Licences to carry Arms (sec 16)	Number of Persons punished for Non-Delivery of Arms in such circumstances (sec. 19)	Number of Persons Arrested at Night under Suspicious Circumstances (sec 23). Acquitted after Examination by Justices.	Number of Persons Arrested at Night under Suspicious Circumstances (sec 23). Number Punished.	Number of Public Houses closed by order of Lord Lieutenant (sec 24)	Number of Strangers in District, and Examined by Justices (sec 25). Number such Strangers Discharged in giving Security	Number of Strangers in District, and Examined by Justices (sec 25). Number Detained without Security being required.	Number of Strangers in District, and Examined by Justices (sec 25). Number Committed in Gaol in default of Security	Number of Warrants issued to detain Absconding Witnesses (sec 38)	Number of Proceedings in each Quarter. Total Number of Proceedings	Number of Proceedings in each Quarter. For Quarter ended 31st March.	Number of Proceedings in each Quarter. For Quarter ended 30th June	Number of Proceedings in each Quarter. For Quarter ended 30th September.	Number of Proceedings in each Quarter. For Quarter ended 31st December.
Cavan,	Castlerahan,	Whole Barony,	28th and 29th April, 1870	1	12	7	6	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	—	—	—	36	8	2	3	19
"	Clankee,	Whole Barony,	29th April, 1870,	—	9	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	16	3	5	8	3
"	Clonmahon,	Ballymachugh, Drumlumman and Kilbride (part of).	28th and 29th April, 1870	1	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	4	3	3	0
King's County,	Warrenstown,	Castlejordan (pt. of)	28th April, 1870 Specially, 29th April 1870,	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	1	1	1
"	Philipstown, Lr.	Creghan,	28th April, 1870. Specially, 29th April, 1870,	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	1	1	1	1
"	Garrycastle,	Lemanaghan,	23rd August, 1870,	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	1	1	1
"	Kilcourcy,	Kilmanaghan,	"	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	6	2	2	1	1
"	"	Kelcumcragh (pt of), Kilbride and Ardmarcher, otherwise Horseleap (portion of).	6th November, 1870,	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	12	—	—	—	—	22	15	2	2	3
"	Ballycowan,	Durrow (portion of),	"	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	1	1	1
Longford,	Ardagh,	Ardagh Rathcreagh and Mostrim	28th April 1870,	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	13	3	7	2	2
"	Shrule	Agharra,	"	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	9	2	2	2	2
Mayo,	Whole County,	—	27th April, 1870,	9	47	51	—	3	—	—	10	1	6	—	17	—	—	149	39	38	24	48
Meath,	Whole County,	—	"	6	32	32	—	1	4	—	6	11	41	—	45	3	—	166	47	40	23	70
Roscommon,	Castlereagh,	Killevin,	"	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	1	1	1
"	"	Killinlagh,	"	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	Frenchpark,	Tibohine,	"	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	1	1	1
Sligo,	Coolavin,	Whole Barony,	"	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	1	1	1	1
"	Leyney,	Whole Barony,	"	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	1	1	1
Tipperary,	Ellogarty	Drom, Killaviange, Killen Templereo, Loughmore East and Loughmore, West	26th November, 1870,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	Partly in Ikerrin and partly in Ellogarty	Templemore,	"	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	1	8	6	1	—	1
Westmeath	Whole County,	—	—	9	32	24	1	6	—	—	51	9	57	1	50	—	—	236	106	70	35	25
			Total,	17	201	121	4	12	4	—	80	26	120	1	114	4	1	717	342	180	108	183

a Of the 32 Counties in Ireland 26 are wholly and 6 partly proclaimed, under the first part of the "Peace Preservation Act," 1870. The only County entirely unproclaimed is Tyrone. The Counties partly proclaimed are Antrim, Donegal Down, Fermanagh and Londonderry. Of the 8 Counties of Cities and Towns all are proclaimed except Carrickfergus.—*Parl. Pap.*, 1871 339.
For presentments for compensation under the 'Peace Preservation Act,' *vide* Part II.—Proceedings common to three Superior Courts, Table 14.

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS—IRELAND.

NUMBER of PERSONS for Trial at Assizes, the Dublin Commission Court, and Quarter Sessions in the Year 1871, the Offences with which they were charged, and the Result of the Proceedings, showing the Acquitted and Discharged, and the Sentences of those Convicted; returned by the Clerks of the Crown and Peace, pursuant to 7 Geo. IV., c. 74, s. 67, and compared with the Records of the Gaols.

ALSO,

ACCOUNT showing Costs of Criminal Proceedings for Year ending 31st of March, 1872, viz.:—The Sums paid by Her Majesty's Treasury for Criminal Prosecutions at Assizes, the Dublin Commission Court, and Quarter Sessions, and for Proceedings at Petty Sessions, Inquests, and Police Courts (under Criminal Justice Act or other Statute or Authority), with Number of Prosecutions and Amount of Costs under each Head.

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COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, &c.	Number for Trial.			Acquitted and Discharged.					Insane to be detained.		Convicted.																Detained in Reformatory or Industrial Schools, included in the foregoing.	Executed	Cases of Commutation of Sentence.	Free Pardon.
				No Prosecutor.	No Bill Found.	Not Guilty on Trial	Ballot and not Tried	Total Acquitted and Discharged.	Found Insane on Arraignment.	Acquitted as being Insane	Sentenced to Death	Penal Servitude.						Imprisonment, with in some cases, Whipping, Fine &c.					Whipping, Fine and Discharge on Recognizance, or Sentence not passed.	Sentence remitted and Pardon.	Total Convicted.						
												Life	Above 10 Years.	10 Years & above 15 Years.	10 Years & above 8 Years.	8 Years.	5 Years.	Above 2 Years.	2 Years & above 1 Year.	1 Year & above 6 Months.	6 Months and under.								
	M & W.	M.	W.																										
Antrim (including County of Town of Carrickfergus).	187	106	29	6	1	22	1	30							8		6			1	33	70			107		7			
Armagh,	147	132	16	6	15	29		50							7		1				2	53	25		88					
Carlow,	49	42	7	6	2	16	1	25							1		1			2	6	14		2	24		2			
Cavan,	130	107	13	17	7	26		50	1						3		1			1	4	30		30	69		3			
Clare,	121	102	13	31	8	29	3	71							1		1			4	2	28		2	80		3			
Cork County,	271	242	28	27	15	72		110							2		3			3	16	58	52	1	153		3			
„ City,	201	135	66	4	13	26	10	61						2	4	5				3	27	32	7		140					
Donegal,	127	115	12	13	17	46		77	2												7	29	13		48					
Down,	103	88	14	7	11	28	5	51			1				4						7	31		9	52			1		
Drogheda Town,	12	7	5		2	4		6							1						2	3			6					
Dublin County,	102	93	10	7	7	21		35	3	1				16	9		3			3	7	30	9		63					
Dublin City																														
Richmond B,	362	362		6	17	75		103							10		15			7	17	148	86		259		10			
Grangegorman F.	250		250	10	13	38	2	63							11		11				24	85	17		145		3			
Fermanagh,	85	74	11	1	36	14		51	1											1	1	31			33				1	
Galway County,	155	132	23	22	12	51	7	91							5						13	36	10		64					
„ Town,	31	23	11		2	6	2	13	1											2	1	11	7		21					
Kerry,	162	137	25	16	30	39		85	1						2		1			3	11	46	13		76				3	
Kildare,	107	90	21	9	11	15	1	36		1					4		2			4	12	46		2	70		3		1	
Kilkenny County,	53	39	4	3	1	7		11			1				3		3			3	5	13	7		32				6	
„ City,	14	11	3			6		5							3						1	6			9					
King's County,	91	44	7	6	3	13	7	26							3		3			3	3	11	3		25		1			
Leitrim,	38	33	9	11	21	29		61									1				2	6	26		37					
Limerick County,	114	101	13	4	34	35	2	75							3		1			2	6	14	12		38		3			
„ City,	62	46	16		4	10	6	20	1						2						18	22			41					
Londonderry,	101	116	18	6	12	34	6	54							2					4	9	41	23	3	77					
Longford,	33	66	17	12	4	12		28									1				2	39		13	66					
Louth,	31	24	7	1	1	1		3							1						6	23			29		1			
Mayo,	221	180	41	24	44	48		116		1					4		2			2	8	60	33		104					
Meath,	39	30	9	2	6	11	2	20							2		2			1	2	12			19					
Monaghan,	95	79	16	10	16	16		26			1				2					1	10	32	11		57		1		1	
Queen's County,	102	89	13	23	10	32		70									2				10	20		3	33					
Roscommon,	107	94	13	17	3	33	1	59							1						6	31	1	6	46					
Sligo,	122	113	9	16	20	23		63	1	1											4	15	36		57		1			
Tipperary, N Riding,	112	102	11	13	11	13	7	44			1						5			1	6	26	11	17	69				1	
Tipperary, S Riding,	91	76	15	4	1	8	4	17			1	1			0		4		1	3	13	40			74		3	1		
Tyrone,	163	126	37	20	29	44		93							3		4			1	4	21	3	12	77					15
Waterford County,	67	48	11	2	3	8		13													6	25	8		39		3			
„ City,	29	19	10	2	2	10		14							3		1			1	3	9	2		15		1			
Westmeath,	60	57	3	2	1	14		17								1	1				7	26	8		42					
Wexford,	81	67	14	3	4	7		14									2			3	19	30		12	67		1			
Wicklow,	69	59	10		10	17		27		2				1	1		7			6	4	16	6		40		1			
Total of Ireland,	4,495	3,647	838	379	459	1,063	72	1,911	11	8	6	1		5	105	8	92		1	79	333	1,391	418	123	2,647		69	2	13	15

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 2.—Showing for EACH OFFENCE

OFFENCES Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Total Number for Trial	Acquitted and Discharged					Insane to be detained.		Convicted															Destined to Reformatory or Industrial Schools, omitted in the foregoing
		No Prosecution	No Bill Found	Not Guilty on Trial	Ruled not to Trial	Total Acquittals and Discharges	Found Insane on Arraignment	Acquitted as being Insane	Penal Servitude.					Imprisonment, with, in some cases, Whipping, Fine, &c.					Whipping, Fine and Discharged on Sureties, or Sentence suspended	Sentence remitted and Pardon	Total Convicts.	
									Death	Life.	Above 15 Years.	15 Years and above 10 Years.	10 Years and above 8 Years.	8 Years.	3 Years.	Above 3 Years.	3 Years and above 2	2 Years and above 1	1 Year and above 6 Months.	6 Months and under.				
No 1.—Offences against the Person.																								
Murder	26	5	5	6	3	21	2	.	5				.									5		
Attempts to Murder attended with dangerous bodily injury,	.																							
Attempts to Murder unattended with dangerous bodily injury,	3			1	1	2		1																
Attempts to Choke or Strangle, with Intent to commit an Indictable offence	.																							
Sending Letters threatening to Murder,	17	4		5	2	3								2			1	2	1	1	1	8		
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding, &c.,	88	12	5	14	3	59	1							1			3	12	20	4	.	40	2	
Solicitation to Murder,																								
Conspiracy to Murder																								
Manslaughter,	72		15	13	1	35	1	.		1			5				2	3	13	3		36		
Administering Poison to endanger life, or with intent to injure,																								
Administering, or attempting to Administer Chloroform or other Drug with Intent to commit an indictable offence,																								
Attempt to procure Miscarriage of Women,	1																	1				1		
Concealing Birth of Infants	22	4	1	4		9												3	10			13		
Exposing or abandoning Children,	21		2	8		8								1				3	7	2		13		
Sodomy,																								
Assaults with Intent to commit Sodomy,	3	2				2								1								1		
Rape, and carnally abusing Girls under 10 Years of Age,	20	2	3	7		12							1				2	1	2			5	1	
Assault with Intent to ravish and carnally abuse,	13	2	1	5	3	12											1	3	1			7		
Carnally abusing Girls between the Age of 10 and 12 Years,	4			2	1	3											1					1		
Indecent Assaults on Females,	35	1	1	8	1	11								3			8	8	8	2		24		
Assault with Intent to carnally know Girls under the age of 12 Years,	2	1	.			1											4	1				5		
Procuring defilement of Women,				1		2																		
Abduction,	4		.	2	.	2											1	1				2		
Bigamy,	8	1		1		2												4	2			6		
Child Stealing																								
Assaults occasioning bodily harm,	265	23	57	141	10	231		2						2		1	11	56	186	39	16	332		
Assaults with Intent to commit a Felony,	25	3	5	8	1	18							4				1	5	7			17		
Assaults on Peace Officers in the execution of Duty,	57		4	15	1	25								1			1	4	21	4	3	34		
Common Assaults	337	79	33	135	5	304	1	1									2	24	324	114	27	471	3	
Placing obstruction on Railway to endanger Property or Travellers																								
Throwing Stones or other Missiles at Railway Engine or Carriage to endanger Property or Travellers,	1																		1			1		
Total of No. 1,	1,340	162	201	434	37	804	5	4	5	1			11	.	10		1	35	184	330	189	47	1,027	6
No. 2.—Offences against Property, committed with Violence																								
Sacrilege	3	3				3																		
Burglary,	50	1	4	8		13							8				3	10	7			37		
Housebreaking,	33		2	11		13	.					1	2		2		1	5	15			23	5	
Breaking within the Curtilage of Dwelling-houses and Stealing	7		1	2		3											1		3			4		
Breaking into Shops, Warehouses, and Counting houses and Stealing	2			2		2							3					1	3			9		
Misdemeanors, with intent to commit the above Offences,	13		1	2		3							1					4	8			13	1	
Robbery,	43	.	5	13		21							1		2		3	11	3			21		
Robbery with Cutting or Wounding,	13		3	4		7												1	5			6		
Mail Robbery																								
Robbery of Arms													.											
Assaults, with intent to Rob, and demanding Property with menaces	22		2	7	.	9									4			1	8			13		
Stealing in Dwelling-house, persons therein being put in fear,																								
Sending menacing Letters to extort Money	1	1				1																		
Taking and holding forcible possession,	94	5	10	35		57													5	26	3	37		
Total of No. 2,	281	10	32	89		131						1	14		18		8	33	57	26	3	180	7	
No. 3.—Offences against Property committed without Violence.																								
Cattle Stealing,	42	1	1	5	.	7	1						4		2		4	10	14	.	.	34		
Horse Stealing	18			5		5							.					2	3			5		
Sheep Stealing	33	2	1	9		12	1					2			1		3	5	14			23	1	
Larceny of Deeds, Records, or written Instruments,	4				3	3													1			1		
Larceny to the value of £5, in Dwelling-houses,	17	.	1	5	1	7							1					4	5			10		
Larceny from the Person,	224	8	22	32		76							14	1	14		4	30	83			146	8	
Larceny by Servants,	31		1	4		5											1	4	11			16		
Larceny Simple	737	42	73	196	5	316	4						48	3	22		7	58	53	11	1	423	31	
Larceny from Shop,	16		.	2		2	.						1		1			4	8			14	.	
Stealing from Vessels in Port or in River, &c.,	.					.									.									
Plundering Wrecked Vessels,	.			.		.																		
Stealing from Illicit Grave,																								
Stealing Goods in Process of Manufacture,	.	.		.		.																		
Stealing Plants, Trees, Shrubs, growing, &c.,	2		2			2																		
Misdemeanors with intent to Steal,	18		2	5	1	8												2	9			11	2	
Embezzlement,	38	2	2	11	1	16													7	3		10		
Stealing Letters and receiving Letters Stolen from General Post Office by Servants,	2		1			1								1				4	2			7	1	
Obtaining Money by false pretences,	48	8	3	8		16							1					10	20	1		32		
Receiving Stolen Goods,	38	1	2	11	3	17							7		3		5	5	23	1		41	1	
Fraudulent Distribution of Property by Trustees, Bankers, or Agents,																								
Frauds, and Attempts to Defraud,	32		1	2	2	5									2					8	3	13		
Total of No. 3,	1,361	61	109	337	17	484	5					3	73	5	48		24	139	343	22	1	661	46	

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and CLASS of OFFENCES the NUMBER of PERSONS for TRIAL in the Year **1871**, and the RESULT of the PROCEEDINGS.

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Total Number for Trial.	Acquitted and Discharged: No Prosecution.	No Bill Found.	Not Guilty on Trial.	Ballad and set Free.	Total Acquitted and Discharged.	Insane to be detained: Found Insane on Arraignment	Acquitted as being Insane	Convicted: Death	Penal Servitude: Life	Above 15 Years.	15 Years and above 10 Years.	10 Years and above 7 Years.	7 Years.	5 Years.	Imprisonment, with in some cases Whipping, Fine, &c.: Above 3 Years	3 Years and above 2.	2 Years and above 1.	1 Year and above 6 Months.	6 Months and under.	Whipping, Fine, and Discharged on Sureties, or Sentence suspended.	Sentence remitted and Pardon.	Total Convicted.	Dismissed, in Reformatory, or Industrial School, included in the foregoing.
No 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																								
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house, persons being therein,	12	3	2	3	1	9							1								2		3	
Setting Fire to Barns, Warehouse, Corn Stack &c.	9	1	1	6		8														1	2		3	
Setting Fire to Crops, Plantations Heath, &c.	1		1			1																		
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels																								
Attempts to commit Arson as Fire to Crops &c	4		2	1		3																		
Riot and feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery &c.	97	1	10	9	2	81									1						16		16	
Destroying Goods in process of manufacture, or Machines,	1														1									
Destroying Trees, &c.																								
Injuring Mines, Sea River or Canal Banks Roads, Bridges, or Viaducts,																								
Injuring Railway Engine, Carriages, or Electric Telegraph,																								
Injuring Works of Art																								
Attacking and injuring Dwelling-houses, Lands, &c	37	5	4	10		23																		
Killing and Maiming Cattle	6		1	2		3													1	5	6		12	
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses, &c	3	2		3	1	6														1		1	2	
Other Malicious Offences,	36	15	3	6		24													1	1	1		3	
																				5	3		9	
Total of No 4,	148	27	24	45	4	100							1		2				3	12	11	17	46	
No 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																								
Forging, and Uttering Forged Deeds Wills, Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, and Orders for Money	11		1	3		4									1				3	3			7	1
Forging and Uttering Forged Transfers of Stock or Powers of Attorney therefor																								
Forging of India Bonds or Exchequer Bills,																								
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering																								
Forgery of Bank Notes, and Uttering	3		3			3													1	1		1	3	
Forgery of Records, Orders, Processes, and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice																								
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes,	2		0			2																		
Having in possession instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland																								
Unlawfully Engraving Printing, or Making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper																								
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments,																								
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin	13		2	2		4							1		1				2	1	4		9	
Having in possession Implements for Coining	1	1				1																		
Buying Procuring Uttering and having in possession Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin,	14		1	3		5														2	3		5	
Counterfeiting Buying Putting off, and Uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin,	4	1	2			3														1			1	
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned,	13			1		1									2					7			9	
Total of No 5,	61	2	11	14		27							1		4				3	7	10		34	1
No 6.—Other Offences, not included in the above Classes																								
High Treason																								
Treasonable Felony																								
Sedition																								
Assembling Armed unlawfully,	76	14	18	2		30									1					9	41	2	54	
Assaulting and obstructing Revenue Officers,																								
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation																								
Returning from Transportation before time																								
Prison breaking	1																			1			1	
Harbouring and aiding the escape of Felons,																								
Rescuing Prisoners,	6			1	1	2															4		4	
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury	23	6	2	5		13									1			1	3	5			10	
Administering and taking unlawful Oaths,																								
Bribery,																								
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages,	15				5	5														10			10	
Riot, Breach of Peace, and Found Breach,	289	2	44	72	3	117														77	72	15	172	
Offences against Party Processions and Party Emblems Act,																								
Rescue, and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	74	13	11	4		28														24	7	10	41	
Keeping Disorderly Houses,	2																		2				2	
Vagrancy																								
Bestiality	1	1				1																		
Indecently exposing the Person	3		2	2		4		1											1	2	1		4	
Attempts to Commit Suicide,	25	8	8	3	1	13		1											6	6	6		24	
Felonies not included in the above denominations,	35	2	2	6	1	11						5		3					2	5			24	
Misdemeanors, not included in the above denominations,	230	103	6	24	5	138													2	33	37	20	92	
Total of No. 6,	780	144	76	119	14	365		2				5	1	4				2	17	160	171	85	439	
Grand Total,	4,435	370	455	1,008	72	1,911	11	6	5	1	3	165	6	92	1	75	652	1,321	410	129	2 807	50		

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 3—Showing FOR EACH COUNTY, &c, the NUMBER of the WOMEN

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Total of Ireland.			Antrim (including County of Town of Carrickfergus).			Armagh.			Carlow.			Cavan.			Clare.			Cork County.			Cork City.			Donegal.			Down.			Drogheda, Town of.		
	Total	Men*	Women*	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No. 1.—Offences against the Person.																																
Murder,	23	23	0										6	3					3	3	-	-	-		1	1						
Attempts to Murder, attended with dangerous bodily injury	-	-		-	-																											
Attempts to Murder, unattended with dangerous bodily injury	3	0					-						-																			
Attempts to Choke or Strangle with intent to commit an indictable offence,																																
Sending Letters threatening to Murder,	17	16	1							2	2	-	1	1					1	1												
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding, &c.,	80	77	3	1	1								2	2					0	0		2	2		2	3	-	1	1			
Solicitation to Murder,																																
Conspiracy to Murder,																																
Manslaughter	72	64	8	8	7	1	2	2		1		1	2	2	-	4	4		6	5		2	1	1	6	3		3	3			
Administering Poison to endanger life, or with intent to injure	-	-																														
Administering or attempting to administer Chloroform or other Drug, with intent to commit an indictable offence,				-	-																											
Attempts to procure Miscarriage of Women,	1		1																													
Concealing Birth of Infants,	22	1	21	1		1	1		1																3	1		1				
Exposing or abandoning Children,	21	1	20				1		1				1		1	1		1	1		1	1		1								
Sodomy							-																									
Assaults with intent to commit Sodomy,	5	5	-	1	1																				2	2						
Rape, and carnally abusing Girls under 10 Years of Age,	20	20								2	2					1	1	-	2	2		1	1		1	1						
Assault, with intent to ravish and carnally abuse,	19	19		2	2		1	1								1	1		2	2		0	0									
Carnally abusing Girls between the age of 10 and 12 Years	4	4		1	1																											
Indecent Assaults on Females	35	33	2	4	2	2	1	1																								
Assault with intent to carnally know Girls under the age of 12 Years	0	0														1	1															
Procuring defilement of Women					-											-																
Abduction	4	4																														
Bigamy	0	0		1	1											1	1															
Child Stealing																									2	2						
Assaults occasioning bodily harm	595	494	71	14	10	4	15	10		1	1		11	11		11	10	1	44	43	1	20	24	0	40	40	3	11	11			
Assaults with intent to commit a Felony,	35	31	4				5	5											3	3		14	13	1							1	1
Assaults on Peace Officers in the execution of Duty	57	53	4	2	2																											
Common Assaults	327	743	94	4	0	2	30	20	2	12	12		13	10	4	23	22	0	00	55	0	21	17	4	4	4	-	7	0	2	1	1
Placing obstructions on Railway, to endanger Property or Travellers,																																
Throwing Stones or other things at Railway Engine or Carriage to endanger Property or Travellers,	1	1																														
Total of No 1,	1,346	1,066	334	43	33	10	84	30	5	10	17	1	42	37	0	40	40	0	127	120	7	74	01	13	70	00	0	24	01	3	2	1
No 2.—Offences against Property committed with Violence																																
Sacrilege,	2	2	-	-										-	-																	
Burglary,	50	43	7	4	2	2	2	2			-			-	-	1	1		1	1		0	0		1	1		2	2	-		
Burglary with violence to persons,				-	-									-	-				-	-												
Housebreaking,	39	32	7	2	0		4	1	3	-				-	-				1		1							-				
Breaking within the Curtilage of Dwelling-houses, and Stealing,	7	7		-			-			1	1			-					1	1						-		2	2			
Breaking into Shops, Warehouses and Counting-houses and Stealing	8	7	1	4	4																											
Misdemeanors, with intent to commit the above Offences,	13	12	1	-															2	2	-											
Robbery,	42	30	0	1	1											1	1		0	0					1	1		-			1	1
Robbery, with Cutting or Wounding,	13	13																														
Mail Robbery,		-		-																												
Robbery of Arms	-			-			-																		-							
Assaults, with intent to Rob, and demanding Property with Menaces,	22	21	1																2	2		0	0									1
Stealing in Dwelling houses, Persons therein being put in fear		-	-	-	-		-	-																								
Sending menacing Letters to extort Money,	1	1		1	1																											
Taking and holding forcible possession,	94	77	17				13	13					3	3					5	4	1				13	12	1	-				
Total of No 2	201	251	40	13	11	2	10	10	0	1	1		3	3		2	3		17	15	2	13	12		10	14	1	5	0		1	1
No 3.—Offences against Property, committed without Violence																																
Cattle Stealing	42	37	5			-	1	1		3	2	-	4	4											0	3	3	1	1			
Horse Stealing	10	10		-									1	1											2	2						
Sheep Stealing	32	30	2													2	2		3	7	1	3	3		0	3						
Larceny of Deeds, Records or written Instruments,	4	2	1	-																												
Larceny, to the Value of £5, in Dwelling houses,	17	13	4																1	1												
Larceny from the Person	224	124	100	20	10	10	7	0	2	3	0	2				2	1	1	7	5	2	9	0	4				0	4	0	1	1
Larceny by Servants,	21	15	0	1	1		1	1																				1		1	1	1
Larceny, Simple,	737	022	276				10	13	3	10	0	4	17	10	4	24	18	0	20	25	13	70	04	30	17	14	3	10	0	4	2	1	2
Larceny from Shop,	10	0	2	0	0	2	-	-		1	1					-															1	1
Stealing from Vessels in Port or in River, &c.,		-		-	-		-									-																
Plundering Wrecked Vessels,																-																
Stealing from Bleach Green																-												-				
Stealing Goods in Process of Manufacture,													-	-		-																
Stealing Bulbous Trees Shrubs growing, &c,	2	2	-													-																
Malicious cutters with intent to Steal,	13	13	0	-												-						1	1							2	2	
Embezzlement,	26	26	-				1	1											1	1								2	2			
Stealing Letters and receiving Letters stolen from General Post Office by Servants,	3	3								1	1											1	1					1	1	-		
Obtaining Money by false pretences,	43	37	11	3	2	-							1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1		3	0	3	1	1		4	4			
Receiving Stolen Goods	45	26	20	17	13	4							4	1	3	2	1	1	0	4	1	3	1	1				2	-	2		
Fraudulent Distributions of Property by Trustees, Bankers, or Agents,	-																									-						
Frauds and Attempts to Defraud,	01	10	11		-		1	-	1																							
Total of No. 3,	1,361	903	458	00	42	13	07	01	0	22	10	3	27	20	7	01	23	8	01	44	17	04	50	44	20	23	0	27	18	0	8	4	4

* Under the head of "Men" Boys are included, and under "Women" Girls.

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PERSONS for TRIAL in the Year 1871, and the NUMBER CONVICTED or CHARGED for each OFFENCE, the MEN and BOYS being distinguished from and GIRLS.

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Total of Ireland			Antrim including County of Town of Carrickfergus.			Armagh			Carlow			Cavan			Clare			Cork County			Cork City			Donegal			Down			Drogheda Town &c.		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No. 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																																
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house, persons being therein,	12	10	2																2	2		1	1									
Setting Fire to House Warehouse, Corn Stack &c.	6	5	1																													
Setting Fire to Crops Plantations, Heath &c.,	1	1																	1	1												
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels,																																
Attempts to commit Arson not Fire to Crops &c.,	4	4																														
Riot, and feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery &c.,	37	37		16	16								17	17																		
Destroying Goods in process of manufacture, or Machines,	1	1																														
Destroying Trees &c.,																																
Injuring Mines, Sea, River, or Canal Banks, Roads Bridges or Viaducts																																
Injuring Railway Engine Carriages, or Electric Telegraph,																																
Injuring Works of Art,																																
Attacking and Injuring Dwelling-houses, Lands, &c.	37	34	3													3	5		3	3								1	1			
Killing and Maiming Cattle,	6	5	1																									1	1			
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses &c.,	6	6														1	1											2	2			
Other Malicious Offences	33	28	5																													
Total of No. 4,	146	134	12	16	16								17	17		6	6		5	5		1	1		1	1		3	3			
No 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																																
Forging and Uttering Forged Deeds Wills Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, and Orders for Money	11	10	1	6	2																									1	1	
Forging and Uttering Forged Transfers of Stock or Powers of Attorney therefor,																																
Forgery of India Bonds or Exchequer Bill,																																
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering																																
Forgery of Bank Notes and Uttering,	6	3	3																			1		1				1	1			
Forgery of Records Orders Proceedings, and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice,																																
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes,	2	1	1																													
Having in possession instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland,																																
Unlawfully Engraving Printing or making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper,																																
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments,																																
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin,	13	7	6	1	1																											
Having in possession Implements for Coining	1	1																														
Buying Procuring Uttering and having in possession Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin,	14	9	5																			3	2	1				1		1		
Counterfeiting Buying Putting off, and Uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin	4	3	1																						1	1						
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned	16	10		8	8														1	1								1	1			
Total of No. 5,	61	44	17	6	3														1	1		4	2	2	1	1		3	2	1	1	1	
No 6.—Other Offences, not included in the above Classes																																
High Treason																																
Treasonable Felony,																																
Sedition																																
Assembling Armed unlawfully,	76	76					17	17											24	24												
Assaulting and obstructing Revenue Officers,																																
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation																																
Returning from Transportation before time,																																
Prison breaking,	1	1																	1	1												
Harbouring and Aiding the escape of Felons,																																
Rescuing Prisoners,	6	6																	3	3												
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury	25	20	5										6	3		2	2															
Administering and taking unlawful Oaths																																
Bribery																																
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages,	13	6	7																			12	5	7								
Riot, Breach of Peace and Feloni Breach,	286	273	13													15	14	1	13	13								23	21			
Offences against Party Procession and Party Emblems Act,																																
Rescue and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	74	36	18	1	1		6	5	1				2	1	1	1	1								3	3		12	11	1		
Keeping Disorderly Houses,	2	1	1																													
Vagrancy,																																
Bestiality,	1	1																										1	1			
Indecently exposing the Person,	9	8	1																1	1												
Attempts to Commit Suicide,	25	7	18													2		2	1	1												
Felonies not include In the above denominations,	38	30	8													1	1		18	16	2							1	1			
Misdemeanors, not included In the above denominations,	230	222	8	4	3	1	14	14		3	3		26	26		13	13					2	2		4	4		6	6			
Total of No 6,	756	709	77	5	4	1	37	36	1	3	3		31	30	1	24	21	3	60	57	2	16	9	7	7	7		41	40	1		
GRAND TOTAL,	4,423	3,647	633	157	108	28	147	132	13	49	42	7	120	107	13	121	102	19	671	243	28	201	133	66	127	113	12	105	89	14	12	7	5

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 3—*continued*—Showing FOR EACH COUNTY, &c., the NUMBER the WOMEN

OFFENCES Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment	Dublin County			Dublin City			Fermanagh			Galway County			Galway Town			Kerry			Kildare			Kilkenny County			Kilkenny City			King's County		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No. 1.—Offences against the Person.																														
Murder																1	1		1	1		1		1						
Attempts to Murder, attended with dangerous bodily injury																														
Attempts to Murder, unattended with dangerous bodily injury																														
Attempts to Choke or Strangle, with intent to commit an indictable offence,																														
Sending Letters threatening to Murder,										1	1					2	2													
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding &c.,				3	3								3	3		2	2		2	2							3	3	
Solicitation to Murder																														
Conspiracy to Murder																														
Manslaughter	1	1		3	3					7	6	1				4	4													
Administering Poison to endanger life, or with intent to injure																														
Administering or attempting to administer Chloroform or other Drug with intent to commit an indictable offence																														
Attempt to procure Miscarriage of Women,				1		1													2		2									
Concealing Birth of Infants,	2		2	1		1										1		1	3		3	1		1			1			1
Exposing or abandoning Children,																														
Sodomy																														
Assaults with intent to commit Sodomy	1	1		1	1																									
Rape, and carnally abusing Girls under 12 years of age										2	2								2	2							1	1	
Assault, with intent to ravish and carnally abuse	2	2								1	1								1	1							1	1	
Carnally abusing Girls between the ages of 13 and 12 years																														
Indecent Assaults on Females	2	2		3	3		1	1		3	3		1	1					1	1										
Assault with intent to carnally know Girls under the age of 12 years,																			3	3										
Procuring defilement of Women,																														
Abduction				1	1														2	2										
Bigamy																														
Child Stealing																														
Assaults occasioning bodily harm	3	3		77	47	30	2	2		7	7		3	3		15	14	1	13	13		12	11	1				3	3	
Assaults with intent to commit a Felony,													2	1	1													2	2	
Assaults on Peace Officers in the execution of Duty	4	4		9	8	1	2	2		2	2		1		1	4	4													
Common Assaults,	8	6	2	35	25	8	22	27	2	43	33	10	13	7	6	34	32	2	3	3	1				4	4		3	3	
Placing obstruction on Railway, to endanger Property or Travellers.																														
Throwing Stones or other things at Railway Engine or Carriage, to endanger Property or Travellers,																														
Total of No. 1,	23	19	4	142	102	41	24	32	2	66	55	11	23	15	8	61	57	4	38	33	3	14	11	2	4	4		22	23	1
No. 2.—Offences against Property, committed with Violence																														
Sacrilege																														
Burglary	3	3	1	5	5					1	1					3	2	1	1	1					1	1				
Burglary with violence to persons,																														
Housebreaking	7	5	2	13	16																							3	2	1
Breaking within the Curtilage of Dwelling houses, and Stealing										2	2											1	1							
Breaking into Shops, Warehouses and Counting-houses, and Stealing													1	1																
Misdemeanors, with intent to commit the above Offences	2	2		4	4														2	2		3	3							
Robbery,				4	4					5	5					4	4													
Robbery with Cutting or Wounding,																														
Mail Robbery																														
Robbery of Arms,																														
Assaults with intent to Rob, and demanding Property with Menaces,				1	1														3	3										
Stealing in Dwelling houses Persons therein being put in fear,																														
Sending Menacing Letters to extort Money,																														
Taking and holding forcible possession				3	1	2										14	12	2				5	5							
Total of No. 2,	15	12	3	32	31	2				8	8		1	1		21	18	3	3	3		9	9		1	1		3	2	1
No. 3.—Offences against Property, committed without Violence.																														
Cattle Stealing,	1	1		2	3		2	1	1										1	1		2	2					3	3	
Horse Stealing				1	1																									
Sheep Stealing	1	1								1	1					1	1											1	1	
Larceny of Deeds Records, or written Instruments																														
Larceny to the value of £5, in Dwelling-houses,				3	3	3										1	1		1	1										
Larceny from the Person,	8	7	1	32	21	11	1	1		7	6	1	3		2	8	6	2	11	8	3				2		2			
Larceny by Servants,	1	1		4	4														1	1		1	1					1		1
Larceny Simple,	33	21	9	232	193	82	9	4	3	32	17	5	3	3	1	32	23	10	25	21	4	4	3	1	6	6		4	3	1
Larceny from Shop,				4		4										1		1												
Stealing from Vessels in Port or in River, &c.																														
Plundering Wrecked Vessels,																														
Stealing from Bleach Green																														
Stealing Goods in Process of Manufacture,																														
Stealing Fixtures, Trees, Shrubs, growing &c.																														
Misdemeanors, with intent to Steal,	1	1		12	7	5							1	1																
Embezzlement	1	1		3	3											1	1											2	2	
Stealing Letters, and receiving Letters stolen from General Post Office by Servants,				3	3																									
Obtaining Money by false pretences,	3	2	1	2	2											1	1					1	1							
Receiving Stolen Goods,				13	3	3	3	2	1	1		1	2	2		1		1	3		3				1		1	1		1
Fraudulent Distributions of Property by Trustees, Bankers, or Agents																														
Fraude, and Attempts to Defraud,	2	1	1	9	7	2	1		1																					
Total of No 3,	48	33	13	343	263	143	16	8	8	31	24	7	8	5	3	43	31	14	42	31	11	8	7	1	9	7	2	12	9	3

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of PERSONS for TRIAL in the Year 1871, and the NUMBER CONVICTED or CHARGED for each OFFENCE, the MEN and BOYS being distinguished from and GIRLS.

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Dublin County			Dublin City			Fermanagh			Galway County			Galway Town			Kerry			Kildare			Kilkenny County			Kilkenny City			King's County		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No. 4.—Malicious Offences against Property.																														
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house, persons being therein,	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Setting Fire to House, Warehouse, Corn Stack, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Setting Fire to Crops, Plantations, Heath, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Attempts to Commit Arson, not Fire to Crops, &c.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Arson, and Feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Destroying Goods in process of manufacture, or Machines,	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Destroying Trees &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Injuring Mines, Sea, River, or Canal Banks, Roads, Bridges, or Viaducts,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Injuring Railway Engine, Carriages, or Electric Telegraph,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Injuring Works of Art,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Attacking and Injuring Dwelling-houses, Lands, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Killing and Maiming Cattle,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
Other Malicious Offences,	.	.	.	9	7	2	2	1	1	4	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total of No. 4,	.	.	.	13	11	2	2	1	1	5	4	1	.	.	.	7	6	1	4	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
No. 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																														
Forging and Uttering Forged Deeds, Wills, Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes and Orders for Money,	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Forging and Uttering Forged Transfers of Stock or Powers of Attorney therefor,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Forgery of India Bonds or Exchequer Bills,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Forgery of Bank Notes and Uttering,	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Forgery of Records, Orders Processes and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Having in possession Instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Unlawfully Engraving Printing or making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin,	.	.	.	5	.	5	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Having in possession Implements for Coining	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Buying Procuring Uttering and having in possession Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Counterfeiting, Buying Putting off, and Uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned,	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.
Total of No. 5	1	1	.	10	4	6	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	6	4	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
No. 6.—Other Offences not included in the above Classes																														
High Treason	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Treasonable Felony,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sedition	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Assembling Armed unlawfully	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Assaulting and Obstructing Revenue Officers,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	13	.	.	5	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Returning from Transportation before time,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Prison breaking,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Harbouring and Aiding the Escape of Felons,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rescuing Prisoners,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury,	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	3	1	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Administering and taking unlawful Oaths,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bribery,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Riot, Breach of Peace and Unlawful Assembly	7	7	.	1	1	.	30	30	.	12	12	.	.	.	.	4	2	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Offences against Party Procession and Party Emblems Act,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rescue and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
Keeping Disorderly Houses,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Nuisance,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bestiality,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Indecently exposing the Person,	1	1	.	2	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Attempts to Commit Suicide,	1	1	.	13	4	14	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Felonies, not included in the above denominations	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	6	4	2
Misdemeanors, not included in the above denominations,	6	5	.	3	3	.	1	1	.	24	24	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	6	.
Total of No. 6	16	15	.	25	11	14	33	33	.	43	40	3	2	2	.	26	23	3	11	10	1	9	9	.	.	.	.	13	11	2
GRAND TOTAL,	102	83	19	576	362	208	85	74	11	155	132	23	34	33	11	102	137	25	107	80	21	43	39	4	14	11	3	51	44	7

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 3—*continued*—Showing FOR EACH COUNTY, &c., the NUMBER the WOMEN

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment	Leitrim			Limerick County			Limerick City			Londonderry			Longford			Louth			Mayo			Meath			Monaghan			Queen's County		
	Total.	Men	Women.	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total.	Men.	Women	Total	Men.	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No. 1.—Offences against the Person																														
Murder	1	1		1		1	1		1	1	1		1	1					1	1					1	1				
Attempts to Murder, attended with dangerous bodily injury,																														
Attempts to Murder, unattended with dangerous bodily injury																			1	1										
Attempts to Choke or Strangle, with intent to commit an indictable offence																														
Sending Letters threatening to Murder,	2	2								4	4		2	2								1	1		4	4		3	3	1
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding, &c.,				3		3																								
Solicitation to Murder,																														
Conspiracy to Murder,																														
Manslaughter	3	4	1	2	2		1		1	1	1		1	1					1	1		1	1							
Administering Poison to endanger life, or with intent to injure,																														
Administering or attempting to administer Chloroform or other Drug with intent to commit an indictable offence																												1		
Attempt to procure Miscarriage of Women,																2	1	1	1		1	3		3				1	1	1
Concealing Birth of Infants,	1		1	1		1										1		1							2		2	1	1	
Exposing or abandoning Children,				3		3																								
Sodomy,																														
Assaults with intent to commit Sodomy																														
Rape and carnally abusing Girls under 10 years of age																			1	1								1	1	
Assault with intent to ravish and carnally abuse	1	1																							1	1				
Carnally abusing Girls between the ages of 10 and 12 years,																												1	1	
Indecent Assaults on Females				9	9					1	1														1	1				
Assault with intent to carnally know Girls under the age of 10 Years,																														
Procuring defilement of Women																														
Abduction,	1	1																												
Bigamy																			1	1										
Child Stealing																														
Assaults occasioning bodily harm	4	4		7	7		23	15	8	24	22	2	15	13	3	4	4		26	23	3	7	7					1	1	
Assaults with intent to commit a Felony							4	2	2										1	1		1	1							
Assaults on Peace Officers in the execution of Duty										1	1		2	2					3	3								1	1	
Common Assaults,	32	32		42	42	2	7	7		23	23		32	25	7	4	4		38	33	5	9	8	1	24	23	1	13	12	7
Placing obstruction on Railway, to endanger Property or Travellers,																														
Throwing Stones or other Things at Railway Engine or Carriage to endanger Property or Travellers																														
Total of No. 1,	47	45	2	95	88	7	33	24	9	55	53	2	59	44	9	11	9	2	122	120	12	19	15	4	33	29	5	23	20	9
No. 2.—Offences against Property, committed with Violence																														
Sacrilege,																														
Burglary,										1	1								2	2					3	3		1	1	
Burglary with violence to persons,																														
Housebreaking																												1	1	
Breaking within the curtilage of Dwelling houses, and Stealing																														
Breaking into Shops Warehouses and Counting-houses, and Stealing							3	3	1																					
Misdemeanors with intent to commit the above Offences,																														
Robbery										2	2		3	1	2										7	3	4			
Robbery with Cutting or Wounding													2	2					7	7										
Mail Robbery																														
Robbery of Arms																														
Assaults with Intent to Rob and demanding Property with Menaces																												1	1	
Stealing in Dwelling-houses, Persons therein being put in fear,																														
Sending menacing Letters to extort money;																														
Taking and holding forcible possession										5	1	4	5	4	1				15	11	4				4	3	1			
Total of No. 2,							3	3	1	8	4	4	10	7	3				24	20	4				14	9	5	3	3	
No. 3.—Offences against Property, committed without Violence.																														
Cattle Stealing,	1		1	1	1								2	1	1										3	3		1	1	
Horse Stealing,													1	1														1	1	
Sheep Stealing										1	1								3	3										
Larceny of Deeds Records, or written Instruments,																														
Larceny to the Value of £5, in Dwelling-houses,																						3	3					3	1	1
Larceny from the Person,	2	2		2	1	1										1	1		11	7	4	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	2	1
Larceny by Servants,																1	1											4	4	
Larceny Simple	2	1	1	19	14	5	13	13	9	14	8	6	2	1	1	3	2	1	16	7	9	9	7	1	13	9	5	13	10	3
Larceny from Ship,													3	1	2	4	3	1												
Stealing from Vessels in Port or in River, &c.,																														
Plundering Wrecked Vessels																														
Stealing from Bleach Green																														
Stealing Goods in Process of Manufacture,																														
Stealing Fixtures, Trees, Shrubs growing &c.,																														
Misdemeanors, with intent to Steal,																														
Embezzlement							1	1											1	1		1	1					2	2	
Stealing Letters, and receiving Letters Stolen from General Post Office by Servants,																									1	1		1	1	
Obtaining Money by false pretences,	1		1	1	1														7	5	2				1		1	2	2	1
Receiving Stolen Goods,				2	2		2	2					1	1																
Fraudulent Distribution of Property by Trustees, Bankers, or Agents,																														
Frauds, and Attempts to Defraud,																									2		2			
Total of No. 3,	3	3	3	25	19	6	22	16	9	15	9	6	7	4	3	11	6	5	37	23	14	13	11	4	22	12	10	30	24	6

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of PERSONS for TRIAL in the Year 187 and the NUMBER CONVICTED or CHARGED for each OFFENCE, the MEN and BOYS being distinguished from and GIRLS

OFFENCES, Of which these Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which these discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Committed	Leitrim			Limerick County			Limerick City			Londonderry			Longford			Louth			Mayo			Meath			Monaghan			Queen's County		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																														
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house, persons being therein																			1	1								2	2	
Setting Fire to House Warehouse, Corn Stack, &c.				2	2					2	2								1	1		1	1							
Setting Fire to Crops, Plantations, Heath, &c.																														
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels,																														
Attempts to commit Arson, or Fire to Crops &c.																														
Rent, and feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery, &c.				6	6		4	4																						
Destroying Goods in process of Manufacture, or Machines																														
Destroying Trees, &c.																														
Injuring Mines, Sea, River, or Canal Banks Roads, Bridges, or Viaducts,																														
Injuring Railway Engine, Carriages, or Electric Telegraph,																														
Injuring Works of Art,																														
Attacking and injuring Dwelling-houses, Lands, &c.																						1		1				1	1	
Killing and Maiming Cattle				1	1																									
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses, &c.																														
Other Malicious Offences,																														
Total of No 4,				9	9		4	4		2	2								2	2		2	1	1				3	3	
No 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																														
Forging and Uttering Forged Deeds, Wills, Bills of Exchange Promissory Notes, and Orders for Money										2	2					1	1													
Forging and Uttering Forged Transfers of Stock, or Powers of Attorney therefor																														
Forgery of India Bonds or Exchequer Bills,																														
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering																														
Forgery of Bank Notes and Uttering,																			2	1	1									
Forgery of Records, Orders, Processes and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice,																														
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes,																			2	1	1									
Having in possession Instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland,																														
Unlawfully Engraving Printing or making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper,																														
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments																														
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin	2	2														1	1													
Having in possession Implements for Coining																1	1													
Buying procuring, uttering and having in possession Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin				1	1														1	1										
Counterfeiting buying putting off, and uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin																														
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned,																														
Total of No. 5,	2	2		1	1					2	2					3	3		5	3	2									
No 6.—Other Offences not included in the above Classes																														
High Treason,																														
Treasonable Felony,																														
Sedition,																														
Assembling Armed unlawfully				3	3					2	2																			
Assaulting and obstructing Revenue Officers,																														
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation,																														
Returning from Transportation before time,																														
Prison-breaking																														
Harbouring and aiding the escape of Felons,																														
Receiving Prisoners										1	1																			
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury	2	3														1	1		1		1							1	1	
Administering and taking unlawful Oaths,																														
Bribery,																														
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages,																3	3													
Riot, Breach of Peace and Pound Breach	24	21	3	4	4					29	29								11	6	5							11	10	1
Offences against Party Procession and Party Emblems Act																														
Rescue and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	2	2		1	1					11	9	2							4	2	2							2	2	
Keeping Disorderly Houses,										2	1	1																		
Vagrancy,																														
Bestiality,																														
Indecently exposing the Person,																														
Attempts to Commit Suicide																														
Felonies not included in the above denominations,																2	2													
Misdemeanors, not included in the above denominations,	14	13	1	3	3					4	4		13	10	3				8	4	1							12	12	
Total of No 6,	43	39	4	14	14					49	46	3	13	11	2	9	8		21	12	9							29	25	1
GRAND TOTAL,	98	89	9	114	101	10	82	40	10	131	116	10	83	69	17	31	24	7	221	180	41	39	30	9	95	79	10	109	89	10

OFFENCES, Of which these Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which these discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Committed	Queen's County			King's County			Westmeath			Clare			Galway			Mayo			Roscommon			Sligo			Cavan			Donegal		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																														
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house, persons being therein																														
Setting Fire to House Warehouse, Corn Stack, &c.	2	2																												
Setting Fire to Crops, Plantations, Heath, &c.																														
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels,																														
Attempts to commit Arson, or Fire to Crops &c.																														
Rent, and feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery, &c.																														
Destroying Goods in process of Manufacture, or Machines																														
Destroying Trees, &c.																														
Injuring Mines, Sea, River, or Canal Banks Roads, Bridges, or Viaducts,																														
Injuring Railway Engine, Carriages, or Electric Telegraph,																														
Injuring Works of Art,																														
Attacking and injuring Dwelling-houses, Lands, &c.	1	1																												
Killing and Maiming Cattle																														
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses, &c.																														
Other Malicious Offences,																														
Total of No 4,	3	3																												
No 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																														
Forging and Uttering Forged Deeds, Wills, Bills of Exchange Promissory Notes, and Orders for Money																														
Forging and Uttering Forged Transfers of Stock, or Powers of Attorney therefor																														
Forgery of India Bonds or Exchequer Bills,																														
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering																														
Forgery of Bank Notes and Uttering,																														
Forgery of Records, Orders, Processes and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice,																														
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes,																														
Having in possession Instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland,																														
Unlawfully Engraving Printing or making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper,																														
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments																														
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin																														
Having in possession Implements for Coining																														
Buying procuring, uttering and having in possession Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin																														
Counterfeiting buying putting off, and uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin																														
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned,																														
Total of No. 5,																														
No 6.—Other Offences not included in the above Classes																														
High Treason,																														
Treasonable Felony,																														
Sedition,																														
Assembling Armed unlawfully																														
Assaulting and obstructing Revenue Officers,																														
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation,																														
Returning from Transportation before time,																														
Prison-breaking																														
Harbouring and aiding the escape of Felons,																														
Receiving Prisoners																														
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury																														
Administering and taking unlawful Oaths,																														
Bribery,																														
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages,																														
Riot, Breach of Peace and Pound Breach	11	10	1	23	24	4																								
Offences against Party Procession and Party Emblems Act																														
Rescue and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	2	2		1	1																									
Keeping Disorderly Houses,																														
Vagrancy,																														
Bestiality,																														
Indecently exposing the Person,																														
Attempts to Commit Suicide																														
Felonies not included in the above denominations,																														
Misdemeanors, not included in the above denominations,	12	12		14	14																									
Total of No 6,	25	24	1	38	39	4																								
GRAND TOTAL,	109	89	10	121	103	14																								

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 3—*concluded.*—Showing FOR EACH COUNTY, &c., the NUMBER the WOMEN

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Roscommon			Sligo.			Tipperary North Riding			Tipperary, South Riding			Tyrone			Waterford County			Waterford City			Westmeath.			Wexford			Wicklow		
	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.	Total	Men.	Women.
No. 1.—Offences against the Person.																														
Murder	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	8	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	1
Attempts to Murder, attended with dangerous bodily injury	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Attempts to Murder, unattended with dangerous bodily injury,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Attempts to Choke or Strangle, with intent to commit an indictable offence,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sending Letters threatening to Murder,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	5	4	1	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	7	6	1	1	1	—
Solicitation to Murder,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Conspiracy to Murder,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manslaughter	3	2	1	—	—	—	4	4	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Administering Poison to endanger life or with intent to injure,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Administering or attempting to administer Chloroform or other Drug with intent to commit an indictable offence	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Attempt to procure Miscarriage of Women,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Concealing Birth of Infants,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
Exposing or abandoning Children,	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sodomy,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assaults with intent to commit Sodomy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rape, and carnally abusing girls under 10 years of age	2	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Assault with intent to ravish and carnally abuse	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Carnally abusing Girls between the ages of 10 and 12 years,	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	3	3	—
Indecent Assault on Females,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assault with intent to carnally know Girls under the age of 12 years,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Procuring defilement of Women,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Al fuction	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bigamy,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—
Child Stealing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assaults occasioning bodily harm	10	17	1	6	6	—	33	33	—	12	11	1	41	34	7	1	1	—	2	1	1	2	2	—	2	2	—	14	12	2
Assaults with intent to commit a Felony	2	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assaults on Peace Officers in the execution of Duty	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	3	3	—	—	—
Common Assaults	34	32	2	26	23	3	21	19	2	13	12	1	19	13	—	13	13	—	6	3	2	10	10	—	13	13	—	11	11	—
Placing obstructions on Railway, to endanger Property or Travellers,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Throwing Stones or other things at Railway Engine or Carriage, to endanger Property or Travellers,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total of No 1,	86	80	6	38	35	3	66	64	2	46	39	4	76	67	9	19	18	1	13	10	3	27	25	2	46	38	4	32	28	4
No. 2.—Offences against Property committed with Violence.																														
Sacrilege,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Burglary,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	3
Burglary with violence to persons	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Housebreaking	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Breaking within the Curtilage of Dwelling-houses and Stealing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Breaking into Shops, Warehouses, and Counting-houses and Stealing,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Misdemeanors, with intent to commit the above Offences,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Robbery	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	1	1	—
Robbery with Cutting or Wounding,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mail Robbery	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Robbery of Arms,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assaults, with intent to Rob, and demanding Property with Menaces	—	—	—	5	4	1	3	3	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stealing in Dwelling-houses, Persons therein being put in fear	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sending menacing Letters to extort Money,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Taking and holding forcible possession,	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	—
Total of No 2,	—	—	—	7	6	1	4	4	—	4	3	1	6	5	1	3	3	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	4	4	—	11	8	3
No 3.—Offences against Property, committed without Violence.																														
Cattle Stealing,	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	2	2	—
Horse Stealing	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Sheep Stealing	4	3	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	5	5	—	1	1	—
Larceny of Deeds Records, or written Instruments,	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Larceny, to the Value of £5, in Dwelling-houses,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Larceny from the Person	4	4	—	3	2	1	2	1	1	10	8	2	6	1	5	2	2	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1
Larceny by Servants	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Larceny Simple	—	—	—	10	13	3	1	1	—	16	11	5	30	18	12	17	10	7	11	4	7	4	4	—	17	11	6	8	8	—
Larceny from Shop,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stealing from Vessels in Port or in River, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plundering Wrecked Vessels,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stealing from Bleach Green	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stealing Goods in Process of Manufacture,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stealing Fixtures, Trees, Shrubs, growing, &c.	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Misdemeanors, with intent to Steal,	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Embezzlement,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Stealing Letters and receiving Letters stolen from General Post Office by Servants,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Obtaining Money by false pretences,	1	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	4	1	3	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Receiving Stolen Goods,	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	2	3	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Fraudulent Distributions of Property by Trustees, Bankers, or Agents	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Frauds, and Attempts to Defraud,	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2
Total of No. 3,	13	11	2	24	19	5	10	10	2	30	20	10	44	24	20	26	15	11	13	6	7	10	9	1	29	20	9	16	14	1

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of PERSONS for TRIAL in the Year **1871**, and the NUMBER CONVICTED or CHARGED for each OFFENCE, the MEN and BOYS being distinguished from and GIRLS.

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment	Roscommon			Sligo			Tipperary North Riding			Tipperary South Riding			Tyrone			Waterford County			Waterford City			Westmeath			Wexford			Wicklow		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
No. 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																														
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house persons being therein																														
Setting Fire to House Warehouse, Corn Stack &c.																									1	1				
Setting Fire to Crops, Plantations, Heath, &c																														
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels																														
Attempts to commit Arson, or Fire to Crops, &c.																2	2													
Riot, and feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery &c.,																														
Destroying Goods in process of Manufacture or Machines,																														
Destroying Trees, &c																														
Injuring Mines, Sea River, or Canal Banks, Roads, Bridges, or Viaducts,																														
Injuring Railway Engines, Carriages, or Electric Telegraph																														
Injuring Works of Art,																														
Attacking and Injuring Dwelling-houses, Lands, &c.				6	6		6	6		2	2		7	6	2							4	4							
Killing and Maiming Cattle				1	1																									
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses &c.							1	1					1	1											1	1				
Other Malicious Offences,	15	13	2																											
Total of No. 4,	15	13	2	7	7		6	6		2	2		8	6	2	2	2					4	4		2	2				
No. 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																														
Forging and Uttering Forged Deeds, Wills Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, and Orders for Money,																														
Forging and uttering Forged Transfers of Stock or Powers of Attorney therefor,																														
Forgery of India Bonds or Exchequer Bills,																														
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering																														
Forgery of Bank Notes and Uttering																														
Forgery of Records, Orders, Processes, and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice,																														
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes,																														
Having in possession instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland																														
Unlawfully Engraving Printing or making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper,																														
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments,																														
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin																												3	2	1
Having in possession Instruments for Coining																														
Buying, procuring uttering and having in possession Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin																									3	2	1			
Counterfeiting buying melting off, and uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin													1		1															
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned																														
Total of No 5,													1		1													3	2	1
No. 6.—Other Offences not included in the above Classes																														
High Treason																														
Treasonable Felony,																														
Sedition,																														
Assembling Armed unlawfully,																1	1					3	2							
Assaulting and obstructing Revenue Officers,																														
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation																														
Returning from Transportation before Time,																														
Prison breaking																														
Harbouring and aiding the escape of Felons,																														
Resisting Prisoners																														
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury							1	1		2	2					1	1													
Administering and taking unlawful Oaths,																														
Bribery,																														
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages,																														
Riot Breach of Peace and Pound Breach,	1	1		37	37		4	4		3	3		16	16								1	1					4	4	
Offences against Party Procession and Party Emblems Act,																														
Rescue and refusing to aid Peace Officers,							16	8	7				9	6	4															
Keeping Disorderly Houses,																														
Vagrancy																														
Bestiality																														
Indecently exposing the Person,																												1	1	
Attempts to Commit Suicide																												1		1
Offences not included in the above denominations,																						1	1		1	1				
Misdemeanors, not included in the above denominations,	12	9	3	9	6		5	5		1	1								1	1		14	14		6	3		2	2	
Total of No 6,	13	10	3	46	43	3	25	18	7	12	12		26	24	4	2	2		1	1		18	18		8	3		6	7	1
GRAND TOTAL,	167	64	13	192	113	3	118	102	11	61	76	15	165	126	37	67	48	11	29	16	16	66	57	3	81	67	14	66	60	10

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS.—TABLE 4.—COSTS.—ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st of March, 1872, of the SUMS PAID by HER MAJESTY'S TREASURY for CRIMINAL PROSECUTIONS and AMOUNT of COSTS under each HEAD, from RETURNS made by

COUNTIES, COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS.	AMOUNT PAID THROUGH CROWN SOLICITORS												
	AT ASSIZES OR CIRCUIT AND COMMISSION COURT IN DUBLIN				AT QUARTER SESSIONS				AT PETTY SESSIONS, INQUESTS, AND PREPOR COURTS.				
	Proportion of Crown Solicitors Salaries and Allowances.	Other Costs (exclusive of Prosecutors' and Witnesses Expenses, paid through County and Financial Officers).	Number of Prosecutions in respect of which Expenses were incurred.	Number of Persons for Trial therein.	Proportion of Sessional Crown Solicitors Salaries.	Other Costs (exclusive of Prosecutors and Witnesses Expenses paid through County and City Financial Officers).	Number of Prosecutions in respect of which Expenses were incurred	Number of Persons for Trial therein	Fees to Sessional Crown Solicitors, and Costs (exclusive of Prosecutors and Witnesses Expenses paid through County and City Financial Officers'	Number of Prosecutions in respect of which Expenses were incurred.	Number of Persons for Trial	Other Expenses connected with Criminal Prosecutions defrayed through Crown Solicitors.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Antrim including County of Town of Carrickfergus,	600 0 0	349 4 10	29	32	225 0 0	12 17 6	73	58	2 2 0	99	44	58 0 4
Armagh,	450 0 0	349 18 8	20	99	176 0 0	8 14 1	71	124	37 2 10	—	—	316 0 3
Carlow,	100 0 10	301 10 4	11	8	125 0 0	2 4 0	32	32	—	—	—	2 2 0
Cavan,	526 0 0	1,121 0 6	28	87	175 0 0	27 3 0	55	67	2 19 0	—	—	244 12 0
Clare,	288 15 6	405 7 0	20	52	300 0 0	12 12 0	20	48	—	—	—	43 11 0
Cork County,	556 12 5	761 0 11	81	116	425 0 0	12 0 6	116	140	—	—	—	230 17 0
Cork City,	241 7 7	473 12 9	35	54	97 10 0	4 3 3	43	60	—	—	—	43 6 0
Donegal,	444 0 11	665 0 5	20	94	175 0 0	45 17 1	69	127	20 7 4	—	—	92 4 5
Down,	600 0 0	516 4 0	24	45	200 0 0	10 2 1	41	53	21 3 6	2	17	38 14 0
Drogheda Town,	101 10 0	74 2 11	7	8	20 5 4	3 5 1	3	6	1 4 0	—	—	0 12 0
Dublin County, Dublin City,	210 17 9	1789 0 4	141	101	784 2 3	2,431 0 5	250	453	98 14 0	15	40	432 14 5
Fermanagh,	166 12 4	167 0 8	0	12	150 0 0	10 10 0	40	61	15 15 0	—	—	67 17 3
Galway County, Galway Town,	700 0 0	476 2 0	38 16	30 24	225 0 0	229 10 2	77 18	28 100	60 1 0	2	2	124 2 3
Kerry,	411 6 6	545 10 11	47	54	225 0 0	17 4 5	50	71	2 2 1	1	6	32 19 5
Kildare,	320 0 0	504 2 4	32	28	175 0 0	34 12 0	52	54	—	—	—	—
Kilkenny County, Kilkenny City,	231 0 11	397 1 3	28	45	200 0 0	12 0 2	51	69	10 10 0	12	12	34 10 2
King's County,	225 0 0	151 10 0	9	12	175 0 0	21 10 11	6	3	1 5 3	—	—	25 10 1
Leitrim,	312 3 11	200 10 10	16	—	150 0 0	14 7 0	—	—	38 12 0	—	—	169 10 0
Limerick County, Limerick City,	750 0 0	702 0 4	47	73	225 0 0	20 0 0	—	—	17 15 2	—	—	901 15 1
Londonderry,	350 11 1	442 14 11	24	40	200 0 0	56 10 11	43	72	20 0 2	—	—	111 2 0
Longford	175 0 0	186 13 1	12	10	125 0 0	41 15 4	29	67	—	—	—	40 17 11
Louth,	276 18 0	251 6 0	12	10	130 14 6	63 0 7	33	42	0 0 0	—	—	3 16 3
Mayo,	700 0 0	725 13 0	47	63	225 0 0	41 3 10	114	200	7 3 6	—	—	120 6 5
Meath,	170 0 0	336 3 2	17	13	125 0 0	53 19 0	44	21	—	—	—	—
Monaghan,	161 10 0	54 3 2	7	7	175 0 0	65 13 1	41	63	3 17 0	—	—	24 2 0
Queen's County	530 10 2	413 17 4	37	37	150 0 0	12 1 0	47	47	2 15 6	1	1	57 14 3
Roscommon,	312 3 11	213 12 11	10		175 0 0	12 12 11	—	—	61 0 0	—	—	—
Sligo,	175 12 2	132 4 2	0	—	200 0 0	15 5 11	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tipperary North Riding, Tipperary, South Riding,	650 0 0	1,340 19 11	54	75	219 17 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	726 0 5
Tyrone,	582 6 2	346 0 0	21	38	175 0 0	20 2 6	100	150	22 10 4	—	—	230 11 4
Waterford County, Waterford City,	358 10 1	501 1 11	37	39	175 0 0	11 7 10	52	59	6 3 0	9	0	32 12 0
Westmeath,	475 0 0	309 16 1	10	25	176 0 0	2 0 0	5	5	1 5 3	—	—	55 10 1
Wexford,	220 7 3	236 7 2	13	10	150 0 0	10 10 0	45	44	—	—	—	21 15 0
Wicklow,	370 12 6	430 0 5	19	30	125 0 0	35 10 7	20	42	—	—	—	15 19 10
Total,	13,008 17 0	16,140 17 3	1,060	1,504	6,841 6 11	3,413 2 11	1 826	2,420	562 14 2	162	181	3,678 4 2

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st Assizes, the Dublin Commission Court, and Quarter Sessions, and for Proceedings at Petty Sessions, Inquests, and Police Courts, with the Number of Prosecutions Crown Solicitors and County and City Financial Officers

Amount paid through County or City Financial Officers.															Total Costs of Criminal Prosecutions defrayed by Her Majesty's Treasury	Counties, Counties of Cities and of Towns.
At Assizes and Commission Court in Dublin			At Quarter Sessions.			At Petty Sessions, Inquests, and Police Courts.										
							Under Criminal Justice Acts, 18 & 19 Vic. c. 109, extended by 21 & 22 Vic. c. 110.		Under other Statutes.		Unclassed				
Amount.	Number of Prosecutors and Witnesses Paid	Number of Prosecutions in which Payment was made	Amount.	Number of Prosecutors and Witnesses Paid	Number of Prosecutions in which Payment was made	Amount.	Number of Prosecutors and Witnesses Paid.	Number of Prosecutions in which Payment was made.	Number of Prosecutors and Witnesses Paid	Number of Prosecutions in which Payment was made	Number of Prosecutors and Witnesses Paid	Number of Prosecutions in which Payment was made.			
£ s d			£ s d			£ s. d.									£ s d	
178 9 10	154	20	172 8 0	305	27	20 4 3	82	92							1,676 1 7	Antrim (including County of Town of Carrickfergus
618 15 11	269	"	225 11 6	105		10 8 6		—			37				5,236 6 3	Armagh
358 17 11	101	15	50 7 3	102	23	7 3 0	24	17							1,067 6 6	Carlow
735 17 0	234	30	75 2 0	82	52	—		—							2,057 10 2	Cavan
235 4 6	194	10	136 8 5	15	37	0 10 6		"			2	2			1,322 15 3	Clare
a1,707 4 11	b 450	"	—	b 574	"	—					b 115				3,765 13 11	Cork County
247 13 8	155	25	295 10 0	350	210	37 1 0	153	152							1 435 17 10	Cork City
621 8 8	194	26	277 8 5	220	65	—		"							2,044 10 7	Donegal
353 14 4	224	"	43 3 0	80	"	15 13 10					17				1 000 15 9	Down
25 11 9	30	4	33 10 0	37	2	—									329 0 1	Dreghede Town
701 10 1	470	156	70 10 6	85	39	3 11 0					12	10			} 8 023 7 2	Dublin County
630 0 4	194	—	611 16 10	507	—	55 5 0					112				}	Dublin City
00 0 0	30	8	62 13 0	80	24	1 15 0	2	2	—						715 13 0	Fermanagh
110 10 0	84		351 10 6	223	"	—			—						} 5053 0 3	Galway County
27 5 6	28		0 2 0	13		—		—							}	Galway Town
529 5 0	220	93	410 13 11	351	81	8 0 0		—			14	14			2,183 12 0	Kerry
932 10 11	400		615 3 0	452		16 14 0	37								2,000 16 0	Kildare
120 15 0	80	26	55 2 8	54	54	1 5 0					4	4			} 1,177 12 0	Kilkenny County
5 17 0	5	—	0 3 0	2	2	0 2 0	1	1	—						}	Kilkenny City
114 5 2	72		62 12 2	88		1 11 0	2	2							733 17 1	King's County
247 3 10	140		132 10 3	85	"	—									1 282 13 4	Leitrim
457 4 3	175		234 13 0	374	—	0 12 3					2				} 3,024 5 10	Limerick County
115 11 5	33		80 15 10	110	—	1 5 4	4								}	Limerick City
715 6 2	190	22	52 13 4	108	47	0 10 0				—	2	2			1 0n4 15 1	Londonderry
221 14 "	71	5	23 11 0	53	13	—				—					820 15 9	Longford
120 4 0	84	84	33 10 7	41	41	3 2 0	12	12							905 7 10	Louth
1,010 1 1	383	"	027 2 4	405		0 3 0					1				3 180 13 5	Mayo.
241 7 3	151		142 7 4	100		21 2 0	20								1,001 0 4	Meath
65 4 0	30		247 3 0	245		1 0 0					1				827 16 4	Monaghan
103 5 11	130		246 4 9	203		1 17 0					4				1 567 12 4	Queen's County
238 19 7	110	17	148 13 0	77	22	0 10 0					1				1 143 0 4	Roscommon
170 12 0	80	—	170 2 10	40		—									330 1s 7	Sligo.
1,484 6 0	433	—	334 0 3	383		10 17 0	21	—	2						4,749 10 3	Tipperary North Riding
																Tipperary, South Riding
254 0 5	102		104 2 4	105	—	—		—							1,000 18 0	Tyrone.
50 10 0	41		110 0 2	122	—	5 18 7				—	9				} 1,350 10 7	Waterford County
114 0 0	54		10 15 0	25	—	13 13 0					70	—				Waterford City
103 0 1	135		10 17 0	21		—									1 210 11 0	Westmeath
180 0 4	103		120 0 5	100		0 17 6					6				900 15 4	Wexford.
190 1 0	121		55 10 0	70	—	0 15 0	3	3							1,241 15 1	Wicklow
14 834 8 3	5,331	c	6 327 13 10	6.704	c	210 10 0	504	c	2		302	c			64 035 5 5	Total

a Including expenses at Quarter and Petty Sessions not classed in Return

b Estimated from number in 1870 the total 1 140, only being returned.

c The particulars in this column asked for for the first time this year, are so incomplete as not to admit of addition or estimate

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 5.—COMPARATIVE NUMBER of PERSONS CONVICTED

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Committment.	Total of Five Years, 1871-67.			1871			1870			1869			1868			1867		
	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted
No 1.—Offences against the Person																		
Murder,	116	12	104	26	5	23	28	6	22	23		22	28	1	21	10		15
Attempts to Murder, attended with dangerous bodily injury,	6	4	2				1	1		2	2		2	1	1	1		1
Attempts to Murder, unattended with dangerous bodily injury	13	2	5	3		8	2	2					2		2			
Attempts to Choke or Strangle, with intent to commit an Indictable offence	1		1							1		1						
Sending Letters threatening to Murder	63	21	42	17	8	9	23	7	21	6	1	5	6		6	6	5	1
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding &c.,	342	176	166	80	46	46	66	32	34	46	37	21	53	42	11	65	25	38
Solicitation to Murder,	1	1					1	1										
Conspiracy to Murder																		
Manslaughter,	268	105	203	72	26	26	31	30	15	50	25	24	39	14	25	24	24	40
Administering Poison to endanger life or with intent to injure	3		2				1		1	1		1						
Administering or attempting to administer Chloroform or other Drug with intent to commit an indictable offence																		
Attempt to procure Miscarriage of Women,	8	4	4	1	1								1		1	6	3	3
Concealing Birth of Infants,	142	75	74	22	13	9	28	11	17	20	16	13	29	13	16	41	28	13
Exposing or abandoning Children	92	55	37	21	13	8	21	13	8	10	10	9	18	11	7	12	8	4
Sodomy	6	2	4							2	1	1				3	1	2
Assaults with intent to commit Sodomy	5	3	2	5	3	2												
Rape, and carnally abusing Girls under 10 years of age	112	29	90	20	8	12	20	4	23	22	7	15	24	6	18	27	4	23
Assault with intent to ravish and carnally abuse,	101	47	54	19	7	12	24	14	10	20	14	12	10	4	6	22	8	14
Carnally abusing Girls between the ages of 10 and 12 years,	12	8	4	4	1	3	2	2		2	1	1	1	1		2	2	
Indecent Assaults on Females,	131	80	51	35	24	11	25	18	7	26	15	11	25	16	9	20	18	7
Assault with intent to carnally know Girls under the age of 12 years,	15	10	5	6	5	1	5	3	2				2	2	1	1		1
Procuring defilement of Women,																		
Abduction,	14	7	7	4	2	2	1		1	3		3	4	4		2	1	1
Bigamy,	48	33	15	5	6	2	6	6		8	5	3	16	10		6	6	
Child Stealing	4	3	1				1		1	2	1	1				1	2	2
Assaults on endeavour bodily harm	2 010	1,164	845	465	332	133	428	246	177	382	221	162	361	160	141	347	195	152
Assaults with intent to commit a Felony	91	59	32	25	17	10	5	2	3	22	8	14	15	7	8	14	5	9
Assaults on Peace Officers in the execution of Duty,	426	297	129	67	34	33	130	96	34	74	52	22	74	60	14	81	56	25
Common Assaults	2,760	2 283	1 462	837	471	366	866	555	291	755	421	334	421	433	288	646	403	243
Placing obstruction on Railway to endanger Property or Travellers,	21	7	14				2	1	1	6	4	1	1		1	12	2	11
Throwing Stones or other things at Railway Engine or Carriage, to endanger Property or Travellers.	18	2	6	1	1		3	3		7	4	3	4		4	3	1	2
Total of No. 1	7,041	4 532	3,189	1,848	1,027	813	1,717	1,060	657	1 525	935	590	1 449	811	634	1 414	799	615
No 2.—Offences against Property, committed with Violence																		
Sacrilege,	7	3	4	2		2	1		1	2	2		1		1	1	1	
Burglary	325	271	124	56	37	13	92	68	82	84	62	22	105	73	27	64	34	30
Burglary with violence to persons,	1	1					1	1										
Housebreaking	261	147	74	30	24	13	46	31	14	41	33	8	62	34	28	34	23	11
Breaking within the Curtilage of Dwelling-houses and Stealing	36	19	14	7	4	3	1	1		2	1	1	8	5	3	10	8	7
Breaking into Shops, Warehouses, and Counting-houses, and Stealing	55	40	15	8	6	2	14	9	5	17	14	3	8	5	3	8	6	2
Misdemeanors, with intent to commit the above Offences	40	32	16	13	10	3	16	11	5	5	3	2	3	3		12	5	6
Robbery,	241	134	107	42	21	21	58	28	30	68	51	17	25	10	15	48	24	24
Robbery, with Cutting or Wounding	65	45	20	13	6	1	23	15	8	15	11	4	10	12	1	1	1	
Mail Robbery	1		1										1		1			
Robbery of Arms	4	3	1							5	3	2	2		1			
Assaults with intent to Rob and demanding Property with Menaces,	62	31	31	22	13	9	12	2	5	4	3	1	5	2	3	12	10	2
Stealing in Dwelling-houses, persons thereon being put in fear																		
Sending menacing Letters to extort Money,	6	2	4	1		1	5	1	4				1		1	1	1	
Taking and holding forcible possession,	438	164	274	24	67	57	131	57	14	72	29	42	92	32	67	42	15	27
Total of No 2,	1,580	893	691	221	100	131	399	217	182	313	208	107	302	191	151	240	129	110
No 3.—Offences against Property, committed without Violence.																		
Cattle Stealing,	139	133	66	42	34	8	42	25	14	37	26	11	30	24	10	28	20	18
Horse Stealing,	74	37	57	10	5	5	16	13	3	15	5	10	16	12	7	14	2	12
Sheep Stealing	168	127	71	50	25	13	49	24	10	43	32	11	30	23	10	22	23	15
Larceny of Deeds Records, or written Instruments,	7	3	4	4	1	3				2	1	1				1	1	
Larceny to the value of £5 in Dwelling houses,	136	74	62	17	10	7	22	14	8	26	16	8	25	21	7	23	11	12
Larceny, from the Person,	1,482	695	521	234	140	78	187	125	62	229	142	87	225	130	95	227	140	81
Larceny by Servants	22	79	13	21	16	5	21	19	2	12	11	1	19	18	1	19	16	3
Larceny—Simple	4,052	3,513	1,532	167	423	214	814	536	278	186	433	302	737	420	317	329	532	330
Larceny from Ship,	102	68	34	16	14	2	21	12	3	23	12	11	24	19	5	18	15	3
Stirring from Vessels in Port or in Rivers &c.,	4	3	1				2	2					1		1	1	1	
Plundering Wrecked Vessels																		
Stealing from Hearth Grass	1	1											1	1				
Stealing Goods in Process of Manufacture,																		
Stealing Fixtures, Trees, Shrubs growing, &c.,	5	6	2	2		2	1	1					1	1		1	1	
Misdemeanors, with intent to Steal,	24	04	30	10	11	8	14	11	3	18	14	4	23	17	6	12	10	2
Embezzlement,	148	92	57	26	10	16	36	26	10	31	20	11	26	18	8	30	18	12
Stealing Letters, and receiving Letters Stolen from General Post Office, by Servants,	20	13	7	8	7	1	11	5	6							1	1	
Obtaining Money by false pretences,	134	132	52	48	08	10	37	26	11	41	34	7	31	20	11	27	20	7
Receiving Stolen Goods	235	154	81	68	51	17	91	65	26	81	60	21	82	61	21	113	82	30
Fraudulent Distributions of Property by Trustees, Bankers or Agents																		
Frauds and Attempts to Defraud,	120	26	34	21	16	5	34	25	9	26	22	4	26	15	5	39	18	11
Total of No. 3,	6,054	4,467	2 427	t.361	861	500	1 390	941	449	1,370	881	489	1,365	850	515	1 468	926	543

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and NOT CONVICTED in each of the last Ten Years (1871-1852), and the OFFENCES with which they were CONVICTED or stood CHARGED

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Total of Five Years, 1866-82			1866.			1865			1864			1863			1862		
	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted
No. 1—Offences against the Person.																		
Murder,	136	28	101	17	4	13	26	5	24	27	10	17	22	4	18	41	6	35
Attempts to Murder, attended with dangerous bodily injury,	12	5	1	1	1		3	1	2	6	1	6	—			2	2	
Attempts to Murder, unattended with dangerous bodily injury	12	2	10	3	1	2	1		1	2	1	1	2		2	3		3
Attempts to Choke or Strangle, with Intent to commit an Indictable offence																		
Sending Letters threatening to Murder,	64	21	42	3	1	6	7	3	4	16	7	9	22	5	11	16	5	6
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding, &c	402	224	213	116	66	66	61	46	51	73	35	38	101	55	52	65	36	27
Solicitation to Murder	11	2	8	4		4							3	2	1	4	1	2
Conspiracy to Murder,	18	1	17				1		3	1		1	7	1	6	7		7
Manslaughter,	330	159	171	46	20	26	53	22	31	76	36	28	65	29	26	90	34	56
Administering Poison to endanger life, or with Intent to injure,	3		3							1		1	3		3			
Administering or attempting to administer Chloroform or other Drug with intent to commit an Indictable offence,	1	1					1	1								2		2
Attempt to procure Miscarriage of Woman,	4		4	3		3				1		1						
Concealing Birth of Infants	174	81	37	31	12	13	41	21	20	41	22	21	10	10	1	20	17	12
Exposing or abandoning Children,	128	67	72	14	6	6	18	10	5	26	14	12	24	10	10	46	21	27
Sodomy,	4		4							3		3				1		1
Assaults, with Intent to commit Sodomy																		
Rape and carnally abusing Girls under 12 years of age	166	48	117	17	5	12	28	11	28	41	12	29	23	7	22	39	13	26
Assault with Intent to ravish and carnally abuse,	102	66	77	25	11	14	28	10	18	17	7	10	27	15	22	26	13	13
Carnally abusing Girls between the ages of 10 and 12 years,	13	3	5	2	1		2	2		3		3	4	2	1	2	2	
Indecent Assaults on Females	92	62	30	16	10	4	21	11	10	26	18	12	18	14	2	6	5	1
Assault with Intent to carnally Know Girls under the age of 12 years,	18	12	4	2		2	2	2		5	4	1	3	2	1	3	3	
Procuring defilement of Women,	2		2										2		2			
Abduction,	47	15	32	1		1	8	5	2	21	5	16	8		8	6	5	1
Bigamy	55	45	10	16	6	4	6	6		15	12	3	8	7	1	15	12	3
Child Stealing	22	11	11	13	8	2	6	1	5	2		2	4	2	2	4	2	2
Assaults occasioning bodily harm	1,701	1,816	885	304	158	146	337	228	159	389	161	105	346	211	135	375	240	135
Assaults with Intent to commit a Felony	65	5	20	9	7	2	16	5	6	17	6	11	25	18	7	24	19	5
Assaults on Peace Officers in the execution of Duty	561	368	193	119	99	21	93	47	21	91	27	36	81	64	17	220	148	72
Common Assaults,	4,618	2,956	2,662	711	587	524	901	480	412	821	541	374	993	613	468	1,892	639	466
Placing obstruction on Railway, to endanger Property or Travellers,	32	12	26	3	1	2	4	1	3	6	1	7	12	6	6	8	3	2
Throwing Stones on other things at Railway Engine or Carriage, to endanger Property or Travellers,	13	6	5	1	1		2	2	1	4	3	1				5	3	2
Total of No. 1	6 914	4 963	4 617	1,488	983	668	1,726	929	869	1 714	961	743	1 471	997	874	2,126	1 112	916
No. 2—Offences against Property, committed with Violence																		
Sacrilege,	7	7		1	1		1	1		2	2		2	3				
Burglary	398	284	114	45	34	11	44	32	12	39	61	26	101	13	26	137	63	34
Burglary with violence to persons																		
Housebreaking	186	120	61	26	25	11	36	19	16	27	24	2	38	22	16	54	30	15
Breaking within the Curtilage of Dwelling-houses, and Stealing	82	56	26	9	7	2	2	7		17	13	4	13	6	8	24	22	11
Breaking into Shops, Warehouses, and Counting-houses, and Stealing,	36	23	13	5	3	2	1	1		7	5	2	16	10	6	5	4	1
Misdemeanors, with Intent to commit the above Offences,	36	20	16	2	2	1	2	2		2	2		10	8	2	13	6	7
Robbery	202	141	111	30	16	12	37	17	20	26	16	12	62	35	27	93	56	40
Robbery with Cutting or Wounding	3	1	2	2		2	1	3					3	2		1	1	1
Mail Robbery	2	1	1				1		1							1	1	
Robbery of Arms,	5	2	3							2	1	1	2	1	2			
Assaults with Intent to Rob, and demanding Property with Menaces,	31	15	20	4	4		3	6	3	14	3	6	28	12	15	20	14	12
Stealing in Dwelling-houses, Persons therein being put in fear,	18	16		2	2		2	2					11	11		1	1	
Sending menacing Letters to extort Money	12	1	11				3		3	2		2	4		4	3	1	2
Taking and holding forcible possession	468	106	360	73	10	63	51	10	41	124	40	84	125	24	111	62	15	67
Total of No 2,	1 586	831	755	211	131	104	196	106	90	214	172	143	421	203	222	433	243	192
No. 3.—Offences against Property, committed without Violence.																		
Cattle Stealing	454	281	173	58	23	15	71	24	37	69	38	31	128	78	50	98	59	39
Horse Stealing	109	62	47	11	4	7	13	8	5	16	8	8	33	20	13	27	12	14
Sheep Stealing	378	236	142	42	23	19	56	36	20	66	34	32	92	53	39	104	61	43
Larceny of Deeds, Records, or written Instruments,	4	3	1	1	1		2	1	1	1	1							
Larceny to the Value of £5, in Dwelling-houses,	221	148	82	43	28	15	25	25	16	57	24	23	52	34	18	44	27	17
Larceny from the Person,	1 427	864	563	244	148	96	281	135	66	293	194	109	316	194	116	249	205	144
Larceny by Servants	186	64	122	19	13	6	11	10	1	29	23	6	20	23	6	16	13	3
Larceny Simple	5 403	3,231	2,172	306	498	308	923	551	370	1,066	678	388	1,220	692	528	1 304	872	531
Larceny from Ship,	171	154	23	26	21	5	27	25	2	33	30	3	29	40	13	32	30	
Stealing from Vessels in Port or in River, &c	3	3											2	2		1	1	
Plundering Wrecked Vessels,	5	5														5	5	
Stealing from Bleach Green	8	5	3	5	3	2	1		1				2	2				
Stealing Goods in process of Manufacture,	3	2		1	1		1	1					1	1				
Stealing Fixtures Trees, Shrubs growing, &c.	2	1	1										1	1		1		1
Misdemeanors with Intent to Steal,	260	182	71	17	5	12	7	5	2	22	10	10	46	28	18	114	78	35
Embezzlement,	172	99	72	25	11	8	24	13	11	31	15	17	30	23	10	62	21	21
Stealing Letters and receiving Letters Stolen from General Post Office by Servants	28	25	5	2	2	1	5	5		7	6	1	5	4	1	10	6	2
Obtaining Money by false pretences,	202	142	66	34	26	8	22	25	6	44	21	12	45	21	14	46	24	17
Receiving Stolen Goods,	512	453	149	33	56	26	130	82	11	128	63	38	142	101	22	104	120	46
Fraudulent Disinbursements of Property by Trustees, Bankers, or Agents,																		
Frauds and Attempts to Defraud,	130	146	45	26	22	4	26	16	8	40	31	9	30	23	15	68	46	12
Total of No 3	5,060	6,097	2 592	1,426	961	526	1 562	1,004	669	1,846	1 267	616	2 228	1,361	867	2,493	1 696	920

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 5—*concluded*.—COMPARATIVE NUMBER of PERSONS

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Total of Five Years. 1871-67.			1871			1870			1869			1868.			1867		
	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted
No. 4.—Malicious Offences against Property.																		
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house personobeing therein	47	16	28	12	5	9	6	2	5	16	3	4	11	5	6	6	2	4
Setting Fire to House Warehouse Corn Stank, &c.	57	20	34	6	1	5	10	6	4	14	5	9	11	5	6	15	3	12
Setting Fire to Crops, Plantations, Heaths, &c	9	1	5	1		1							1		1	7	1	6
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels,																		
Attempts to commit Arson set Fire to Crops, &c.	66	44	22	4	1	3	3		3	4	1	3	5	2	3	50	42	16
Riot, and feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery, &c.	75	48	27	37	16	21	19	15	6	14	9	5	2		2	3		3
Destroying Goods in process of Manufacture or Machines,	1	1		1	1													
Destroying Trees, &c.																		
Injuring Mines, Sea, River, or Canal Banks, Roads, Bridges or Viaducts,	1		1													1		1
Injuring Railway Engine, Carriages, or Electric Telegraph,	5	3	2				1		1							2	1	1
Injuring Works of Art	2	1	1				2	1	1									
Attacking and Injuring Dwelling houses Lands &c	88	22	64	37	12	25	50	6	21	1		1	14	1	13	4		4
Killing and Maiming Cattle,	31	8	23	6	2	3	21	4	7	1		1	4	1	6	9		9
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses, &c	22	2	20	6		6	14	2	12	1		1				1		1
Other Malicious Offences	74	23	51	33	9	24	41	6	5	15	3	12	7	1	6	6	4	4
Total of No. 4,	474	166	281	140	44	100	169	44	65	90	24	36	55	18	37	104	31	56
No. 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																		
Forging and Uttering Forged Deeds, Wills, Bills of Exchange Promissory Notes, and Orders for Money,	49	33	16	11	7	4	5	5		10	0	10	11	10	1	6	5	1
Forging and Uttering Forged Transfers of Stock, or Powers of Attorney therefor																		
Forging of India Bonds or Exchequer Bills,																		
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering,																		
Forgery of Bank Notes and Uttering	16	8	8	6	2	3	5	2	1	3	2	1				1	1	
Forgery of Records Orders Processes and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice,	1	1											1	1				
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes	2		2	2		2												
Having in possession Instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland																		
Unlawfully Engraving Printing or making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper,																		
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments,	7	6	1				6	2		1	1		1		1	3	3	
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin,	47	27	20	13	9	4	1	1		16	11	5	12	5	7	5	1	4
Having, in Possession Implements for Coining	7	5	2	1		1				6	3		2	2		1		1
Buying Procuring Uttering and having in possession Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin	109	61	48	14	5	9	16	6	10	26	16	10	33	14	19	37	20	17
Counterfeiting, Buying Putting off, and Uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin,	21	14	7	4	1	3	6	5	1	2	2		3	2	1	6	4	6
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned,	31	26	2	16	6	1	5	6		5	5		6	3	1	5	5	
Total of No. 5,	367	184	123	81	34	27	41	26	15	72	49	26	69	36	69	64	36	25
No. 6.—Other Offences not included in the above Classes.																		
High Treason	8	6														5	5	
Treasonable Idolacy,	186	76	86				4		4				44	2	42	108	74	34
Sedition,	105	50	55				19	16	6	2	2		22	6	16	61	24	37
Assembling Armed unlawfully	574	334	216	76	60	26	120	76	44	68	13	55	88	71	17	222	154	68
Assaulting and Obstructing Revenue Officers	7		7							7		7						
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation																		
Returning from Transportation before time,																		
Prison breaking,	3	3		1	1					2	2							
Harbouring and aiding the escape of Felons,	6	2	4													5	2	4
Rescuing Prisoners	18	15	3	6	4	2	2	1	1	3	3		5	4	1	3	3	
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury	96	57	39	23	16	13	26	6	14	12	10	2	13	7	12	16	4	12
Administering and taking unlawful Oaths,	2	1	1				2		2	1		1	1		1	5	1	4
Bribery,	1	1								1	1							
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages																1		1
Riot Breach of Peace and Found Breach,	18	12	6	15	10	5	2	2										
Offences against Party Procession and Party Emblems Act,	1 926	980	546	286	172	117	460	287	173	337	239	98	188	106	82	252	182	70
Resisting and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	111	83	28										54	54		77	26	28
Keeping Disorderly Houses,	599	307	292	74	46	28	167	82	45	111	55	56	156	76	76	149	65	84
Vagrancy,	2	2		2	2													
Bastardy,	4	4					4	3										
Indecently exposing the Person,	4	1	3	1		1				1		1	1	1		1		1
Attempts to commit Suicide	51	34	17	9	4	5	12	8	5	11	6	2	6	5	1	10	5	5
Felonies, not included in the above denominations	54	28	26	25	14	11	12	6	6	1	1		6	3	3	2	2	6
Misdemeanors, not included in the above denominations,	182	113	71	35	24	11	28	16	12	42	23	19	41	33	8	37	16	21
	1,476	805	672	226	32	136	455	276	215	212	102	110	263	116	167	322	226	163
Total of No. 6	5 664	2 924	2 080	766	429	367	1 280	766	620	511	469	361	861	486	575	1,226	783	477
GRAND TOTAL,	29,250	13 183	9,677	4,485	2,557	1,925	4,936	3,048	1 366	4,161	2,482	1,699	4,127	2,564	1,733	4,561	2,752	1,329

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CONVICTED and NOT CONVICTED in each of the last Ten Years (1871–1862), and the OFFENCES with which they were CONVICTED or stood CHARGED.

OFFENCES, Of which those Tried were Convicted or Acquitted, and of which those discharged without Trial were charged on Indictment or Commitment.	Total of Five Years, 1866-62			1866			1865.			1864.			1863			1862		
	Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted.
No. 4.—Malicious Offences against Property																		
Setting Fire to Dwelling-house, persons being therein,	53	31	22	9	2	7	7	3	4	9	1	8	24	21	3	7	3	4
Setting Fire to Horse Warehouse Corn Stack, &c.	127	80	47	11	1	10	11	3	8	12	6	6	42	25	17	51	45	6
Setting Fire to Crops Plantations, Heaths &c.	8		8				2		2	5		5	1		1			
Setting Fire to Ships or Vessels,	1		1										1		1			
Attempts to commit Arson as of Fire to Crops, &c	48	11	37	7	2	5	10	4	6	12	2	10	4	1	3	13	2	11
Riot, and feloniously demolishing Buildings, Machinery, &c	51	9	42	6	3	3	1		1	5	4	1	15		15	26	1	25
Destroying Goods in process of Manufacture, or Machine	2	1	2				2		2				1	1				
Destroying Trees, &c.																		
Injuring Mines, Sea, River, or Canal Banks, Roads, Bridges, or Viaducts,																		
Injuring Railway Engine, Carriages, or Electric Telegraph,	5	2	2				3	2	1				1		1	1	1	
Injuring Works of Art																		
Attacking and Injuring Dwelling houses, Lands, &c	96	24	62	17	3	14	28	11	22	7	4	3	26	15	11	13	1	12
Killing and Maiming Cattle	25	12	11	6	1	5	1	1		6	3	3	5	4	1	5	4	1
Sending Letters threatening to burn Houses, &c.	10	4	12	2		2	5	1	2				3		3	3		3
Other Malicious Offences,	57	15	44	7	4	3	3	4	5	2	1	1	25	2	23	14	2	12
Total of No. 4	486	137	293	62	17	45	82	28	53	58	20	38	142	72	70	136	59	77
No. 5.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency																		
Forging and Uttering Forged Deeds, Wills, Bills of Exchange Promissory Notes and Orders for Money,	53	41	12	3	2	1	9	7	2	7	9	1	19	12	4	15	14	9
Forging and Uttering Forged Transfers of Stock or Powers of Attorney thereto,	2	2		2	2													
Forging of Indin Bonds or Exchequer Bills,																		
Forgery of Stamps and Uttering,	1		1										1		1			
Forgery of Bank Notes and Uttering,	8	4	2							1		1	1		1	4	4	
Forgery of Records Orders, Processes, and Instruments of Evidence of Courts of Justice,	13	5	5	2	1	1	1		1	5	4	1				2		2
Having in possession Forged Bank Notes	1		1				1		1									
Having in possession instruments for making paper for Notes of Bank of England or Ireland,																		
Unlawfully Engraving, Printing, or making Plates for Engraving or Printing Bank Note Paper																		
Demanding Property or Money on Forged Instruments,	14	12	1	1	1		1		1	5	5		3	2		5	5	
Counterfeiting the Current Gold and Silver Coin	97	31	30	7	3	4	29	12	17	15	10	5	11	3	5	5		5
Having in possession Implements for Coining	34	10	24	1	1		5	1	4	14	1	13	7	4	3	7	3	4
Buying Procuring, Uttering and having in possession, Counterfeit Gold and Silver Coin	103	112	91	37	16	21	28	16	12	43	24	18	34	21	13	54	35	19
Counterfeiting, Buying Selling &c, and Uttering Counterfeit Copper Coin	13	10	3	3	2	3	1		1				3	2	1	6	6	
Forging or Uttering Forged Instruments other than those above mentioned,	29	21	8	5	4	1	5	4	2	5	3	2	2	2		7	4	3
Total of No. 5,	425	249	176	68	32	21	81	40	41	82	53	29	81	53	28	108	71	37
No. 6.—Other Offences not included in the above Classes																		
High Treason																		
Treasonable Felony	194	42	8	32	27	25	41	11	30	11	10	1						
Sedition	14		14	9		9	5		3				2		2			
Assembling Armed unlawfully,	93	58	35	19	5	8	40	24	16	4		4	13	10	1	28	19	9
Assaulting and Obstructing Revenue Officers,																		
Offences connected with Illicit Distillation,																		
Returning from Transportation before time,																		
Prison breaking	12	11	1	2	2		3	2		1	1		2	1	1	4	4	
Harbouring and Aiding the Escape of Felons,	11	5	6	2		2				2	3		4	2	2	3		2
Rescuing Prisoners,	84	28	56	9	3	6	18	14	5	9		3	23	7	21	19	4	15
Perjury and Subornation of Perjury	77	32	45	14	8	6	15	6	9	13	7	12	10	6	11	13	6	7
Administering and taking Unlawful Oaths,	3	2	1	1	1								1		1	1	1	
Bribery,	2		2							2		2						
Offences connected with Combinations or Conspiracies to raise the rate of Wages	18	18		2	2											16	16	
Riot, Breach of Peace and Pound Breach	2132	1 972	1 060	414	223	191	422	245	178	279	169	112	441	191	250	584	264	320
Offences against Party Procession and Party Emblems Act,	238	134	104	117	53	64	52	28	5	38	24	14	33	26	7	17	3	14
Resc e, and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	1,511	681	399	113	64	49	184	53	81	359	167	192	554	212	342	364	155	229
Keeping Disorderly Houses	29	22	4	4	3	1	5	5		10	9	1	2		2	8	3	5
Vagrancy,	14	7	7				4	2		4	2	2	3		3	3	1	2
Brawling	19	1	9				2		2	1		1	2		2	5	1	4
Indecently exposing the Person	62	21	21	8	4	3	14	8	3	16	13	3	17	8	9	9	1	8
Attempts to commit Suicide,	13	7	6	7	4	2	3	2	1	1	1		2		2			
Females, not included in the above denominations,	204	104	19	55	45	22	20	27	3	58	42	16	42	15	7	82	42	18
Misdemeanors, not included in the above denominations,	980	553	427	237	118	132	192	98	62	155	91	64	159	96	62	317	152	85
Total of No. 6,	5,739	2 884	2 824	1 095	558	536	967	559	408	961	597	434	1,319	592	728	1 398	647	751
GRAND TOTAL,	26 912	15,100	11,653	4,326	2,412	1 908	4,657	2,661	1,996	5,990	3,909	2 889	9 679	3,256	2,763	6 960	2,726	2,970

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 6.—Showing, for each COUNTY, &c., the

COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, &c.	Total of Five Years, 1871-75			1871.			1870.			1869.			1868.			1867.		
	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted.	Total.	Convicted.	Not Convicted.
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town,	334	585	249	137	107	30	154	103	51	182	121	61	192	131	61	189	123	66
Armagh,	333	467	866	147	88	59	213	125	30	177	91	86	102	62	43	157	103	54
Carlow,	133	113	20	49	24	25	42	28	14	28	16	12	34	19	15	45	31	14
Cavan,	337	328	287	123	69	54	111	53	58	143	72	71	115	57	53	30	69	29
Clare,	470	197	273	121	50	71	73	40	33	81	45	36	121	29	32	74	33	41
Cork County,	1,345	735	590	271	155	116	255	144	111	293	165	128	245	137	108	261	133	125
,, City,	123	534	189	201	145	61	172	138	33	124	100	24	115	81	34	111	80	31
Donegal,	703	355	431	127	48	79	109	57	52	95	49	49	243	100	184	179	92	87
Down,	503	359	234	133	52	81	77	37	40	133	89	44	132	105	27	145	73	72
Drogheda Town,	33	25	15	12	6	3	14	8	3	3	3	—	3	3	—	3	3	3
Dublin County,	613	371	243	137	63	39	132	95	37	136	88	48	117	82	55	105	99	63
,, City,	2,210	1,984	231	573	466	135	591	467	154	582	505	128	824	418	206	547	358	189
Fermanagh,	282	126	156	65	53	52	23	11	11	44	25	19	31	23	11	50	37	13
Galway County,	598	274	324	155	64	91	130	65	65	71	37	34	112	65	47	128	58	37
,, Town,	112	64	48	34	21	13	21	15	9	23	11	12	24	14	13	13	9	7
Kerry,	641	363	275	132	73	59	131	78	53	138	62	42	112	72	40	128	74	54
Kildare,	472	435	237	107	70	37	203	140	61	133	81	52	120	65	55	106	74	32
Kilkenny County,	234	161	73	43	32	11	44	33	11	41	25	16	69	42	27	37	29	8
,, City,	77	58	19	14	9	5	13	13	—	33	14	8	13	11	2	13	14	5
King's,	310	147	169	61	25	28	37	43	57	47	20	27	62	23	39	50	33	25
Leitrim,	437	214	223	98	37	61	110	70	40	85	20	30	78	33	45	86	46	39
Limerick County,	787	481	336	114	98	75	197	117	80	175	127	68	136	91	45	175	135	67
,, City,	432	374	63	62	41	21	249	255	1	54	41	13	27	18	9	45	38	8
Londonderry,	552	363	187	131	77	54	118	65	36	120	85	41	78	56	22	89	52	37
Longford,	438	280	165	66	55	25	130	68	40	85	33	25	65	55	35	37	41	28
Louth,	234	134	73	31	28	3	43	24	19	33	44	24	42	20	13	61	33	12
Mayo,	905	467	438	221	104	117	173	107	66	105	93	32	158	33	30	168	95	73
Meath,	284	156	128	93	13	80	121	57	34	57	41	16	29	17	12	43	32	16
Monaghan,	322	307	315	93	57	36	250	124	123	84	52	34	89	31	58	102	43	59
Queen's,	481	295	210	108	38	70	68	53	28	84	35	49	53	30	23	111	65	46
Roscommon,	513	334	230	137	48	89	112	35	47	99	53	63	34	16	18	98	76	22
Sligo,	453	191	263	122	57	65	111	45	66	86	33	54	70	34	36	61	19	42
Tipperary, North Riding,	628	328	299	113	69	44	142	71	61	64	44	40	93	45	45	136	37	30
,, South Riding,	573	442	131	91	74	17	114	101	12	87	73	17	65	56	29	106	141	55
Tyrone,	737	365	372	133	77	55	174	90	84	109	52	58	136	69	17	155	66	69
Waterford County,	361	186	175	57	38	19	55	36	19	65	30	35	85	38	47	99	44	55
,, City,	134	90	44	20	15	14	13	14	4	13	12	7	21	17	4	47	32	15
Westmeath,	268	132	136	36	43	17	53	29	23	67	24	43	44	20	24	53	30	23
Wexford,	312	223	89	31	37	14	44	34	10	50	24	26	51	43	11	66	38	28
Wicklow,	326	173	147	63	43	23	63	32	31	43	23	25	33	33	33	73	45	27
Total of Ireland,	23,260	13 183	9077	4 435	2 557	1 326	4,235	3,048	1,188	4,151	2,452	1 699	4,127	2,394	1,183	4 561	2,732	1,829

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NUMBER of PERSONS for TRIAL, and the NUMBER CONVICTED and NOT CONVICTED in each of the last Ten Years (1871–1862).

1862			1865			1864.			1863.			1862.			Total of Five Years, 1858-62			COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, &c
Total	Convicted.	Not Convicted	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted	Total.	Convicted	Not Convicted.	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted.	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted.	Total	Convicted	Not Convicted.	
175	70	67	251	142	109	131	74	57	143	61	82	264	122	125	964	494	466	Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
196	106	93	159	93	70	172	120	53	199	111	88	181	112	73	920	532	388	Armagh.
42	33	10	51	35	16	52	28	24	60	23	10	77	54	23	262	173	89	Carlow
70	35	45	174	77	97	147	72	75	151	93	58	178	86	93	718	385	393	Cavan
65	32	33	91	36	55	111	59	52	137	71	66	148	80	68	542	288	254	Clare
298	133	165	604	178	426	462	221	161	446	233	207	466	232	234	1,910	895	615	Cork County
156	79	76	183	73	54	121	105	16	120	103	20	102	154	38	680	630	100	" City
180	82	58	160	89	71	185	125	70	201	107	94	225	137	98	949	530	389	Donegal
120	70	55	165	104	64	146	95	51	174	107	67	107	114	63	611	490	321	Down
19	11	8	11	7	4	14	9	5	10	7	3	23	12	11	77	45	31	Drogheda Town
80	58	22	92	56	36	85	45	44	120	72	48	115	79	36	590	613	196	Dublin County
500	395	105	521	382	139	553	398	155	554	691	205	691	490	201	2,819	1,906	913	" City
84	39	45	60	36	22	114	63	51	88	66	32	120	70	50	470	270	200	Fermanagh
95	48	47	101	45	56	173	60	103	240	120	235	378	150	215	1,086	480	656	Galway County
14	11	5	17	11	6	21	16	6	31	20	9	55	40	15	136	103	33	" Town
112	74	38	116	78	38	178	120	58	244	121	123	212	152	60	863	520	343	Kerry
117	67	50	190	64	36	112	74	38	121	72	48	110	60	54	559	343	220	Kildare
42	33	39	92	46	46	70	60	20	94	47	47	125	76	49	492	252	240	Kilkenny County
6	6		8	6		10	8	2	26	20	6	12	10	2	52	52	10	" City
74	33	41	84	40	44	121	51	70	121	66	65	92	47	45	422	227	205	King's
120	61	59	119	56	63	125	67	58	182	138	44	103	86	77	709	408	301	Leitrim.
129	57	66	153	78	80	160	92	58	169	78	91	193	122	71	755	427	328	Limerick County
28	24	4	42	34	8	53	33	10	28	20	8	81	64	17	202	147	55	" City
121	76	45	195	66	37	153	50	63	169	85	64	192	55	73	870	376	303	Londonderry.
55	20	35	65	43	22	73	30	42	135	90	35	196	112	86	511	307	204	Longford
46	23	23	46	23	23	44	22	22	44	21	23	81	48	33	281	137	124	Louth
264	121	63	177	108	69	264	122	142	355	157	196	385	185	199	1,369	783	586	Mayo.
40	21	19	50	21	29	61	27	34	76	36	40	71	44	27	257	139	178	Meath
87	42	45	139	60	59	61	41	40	164	63	101	163	96	85	634	324	310	Monaghan.
115	65	50	115	70	45	150	100	50	120	75	45	197	133	64	790	445	257	Queen's.
78	55	23	76	56	19	120	77	42	100	76	30	197	80	67	610	346	271	Roscommon.
181	16	112	65	21	68	70	27	43	55	23	65	146	66	80	626	150	369	Sligo.
125	55	70	176	96	80	161	95	70	98	60	13	97	61	40	657	372	285	Tipperary, North Riding
100	78	31	100	85	21	111	72	39	151	113	38	110	66	32	526	404	161	" South Riding.
230	145	93	166	160	96	188	70	118	300	121	203	200	76	172	1,262	612	750	Tyrone
77	27	50	66	42	24	64	40	20	66	57	12	52	40	7	536	217	115	Waterford County
37	26	11	25	14	14	58	24	14	30	20	10	34	22	12	167	106	61	" City
82	57	25	84	44	40	66	43	23	65	32	40	104	46	58	461	200	132	Westmeath.
76	62	16	54	37	17	111	84	27	73	50	25	105	50	56	471	329	142	Wexford
64	42	21	63	29	34	53	36	18	58	25	33	70	50	20	317	185	132	Wicklow
4,326	2,418	1,908	4,657	2,661	1,996	5,000	3,000	2,036	6,076	3 265	2,792	6,656	3,796	2,870	26 913	15,100	11,813	Total of Ireland

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AT ASSIZES, COMMISSION, AND QUARTER SESSIONS.—TABLE 7.—COMPARATIVE TABLE showing for each COUNTY, &c., the NUMBER of MEN and BOYS and the NUMBER of WOMEN and GIRLS for TRIAL in each of the last Ten Years (1871–1862).

COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN &c	Total of Five Years, 1871–67.		1871		1870		1869		1868		1867		Total of Five Years, 1866–62.		1866.		1865		1864		1863		1862	
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men.	Women	Men	Women.	Men.	Women	Men.	Women	Men.	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town,	615	158	108	25	126	29	130	26	167	35	148	41	776	148	106	19	211	40	106	25	168	30	195	29
Armagh,	118	121	132	15	101	22	143	29	94	19	150	28	110	205	114	25	124	35	153	39	144	50	140	51
Carlow,	141	51	43	7	30	1	29	8	32	12	28	11	188	94	36	1	44	1	49	12	31	8	41	39
Cavan,	514	16	107	13	102	9	130	13	101	14	14	24	333	159	62	19	144	30	109	58	107	44	141	31
Clare,	493	79	102	19	69	1	69	15	108	13	58	16	445	33	54	11	72	10	90	16	101	20	121	27
Cork County,	1 142	202	243	29	211	44	232	54	208	37	241	40	1,013	201	204	34	262	42	322	79	270	19	304	72
,, City,	455	268	135	99	108	64	73	45	73	39	54	51	315	305	53	52	67	65	61	59	90	42	114	78
Donegal,	651	93	116	12	93	15	36	12	221	22	142	37	770	141	137	31	141	19	166	29	160	32	195	20
Down,	408	102	90	14	99	11	110	29	108	24	116	30	636	178	130	20	145	93	102	44	132	43	148	45
Drogheda Town,	36	12	7	5	9	9	3	-	9	-	5	1	55	32	15	4	1	4	0	8	9	1	18	5
Dublin County,	514	105	92	19	70	20	108	22	92	25	152	15	530	110	71	13	76	16	93	20	99	24	84	31
,, City,	1 381	329	302	208	412	119	393	209	451	193	490	148	1 988	1 131	340	160	290	231	324	223	353	242	382	365
Fermanagh,	182	58	74	11	19	4	27	7	22	9	31	10	245	125	61	23	34	24	33	31	19	18	31	25
Galway County,	459	99	132	23	128	12	59	15	90	22	99	27	857	229	58	27	14	21	122	58	252	53	301	11
,, Town,	75	31	33	11	10	11	19	4	11	7	6	4	32	39	4	10	12	5	13	9	28	3	43	13
Kerry,	528	113	131	30	113	13	36	22	80	27	192	26	619	193	85	31	31	25	139	48	153	31	169	44
Kildare,	541	131	86	21	184	22	198	25	80	35	79	26	435	154	93	34	93	17	71	41	84	37	94	25
Kilkenny County,	132	42	53	4	49	4	35	5	53	19	24	10	339	96	51	15	74	13	63	10	54	20	39	21
,, City,	69	16	11	3	8	2	15	5	11	2	15	4	51	11	0		5	3	10		25	5	9	3
King's,	280	36	44	1	38	7	41	0	55	1	50	9	413	79	55	11	19	14	103	16	103	21	83	3
Leitrim,	385	52	95	9	104	6	55	9	63	10	73	13	620	93	105	15	101	13	101	34	105	19	150	13
Limerick County,	632	198	101	13	111	29	101	24	116	20	103	22	943	151	104	19	121	31	124	26	144	26	140	44
,, City,	275	191	46	19	146	97	96	16	19	11	31	19	146	56	23	6	31	11	28	15	19	10	31	14
Londonderry,	462	70	116	15	102	19	124	12	93	10	77	12	611	161	109	21	15	29	119	45	134	25	92	49
Longford,	362	16	96	11	89	15	71	14	91	14	54	13	431	74	21	8	59	9	63	10	112	23	119	21
Louth,	198	36	24	7	38	4	53	13	30	0	45	0	214	47	44	2	40	6	31	7	25	13	64	11
Mayo,	743	163	180	41	139	34	160	25	128	32	137	31	1 031	352	108	36	132	65	204	60	262	91	275	110
Meath,	245	45	30	9	104	17	49	8	24	0	42	9	220	77	32	8	49	11	32	10	53	23	55	16
Monaghan,	513	103	76	19	219	54	91	10	73	18	91	21	517	111	73	8	117	22	59	22	129	30	133	30
Queens,	393	58	80	19	19	10	90	15	98	4	101	10	549	104	92	25	89	21	122	28	36	21	143	45
Roscommon,	409	71	94	13	105	1	88	11	10	24	93	16	491	122	70	8	60	10	91	32	162	34	132	30
Sligo,	397	83	116	9	91	29	73	7	62	8	53	9	421	95	121	10	60	39	54	16	63	29	119	25
Tipperary, North Riding,	587	41	102	11	139	13	77	7	90	0	179	1	570	19	109	10	155	21	142	19	89	12	96	16
,, South Riding,	418	193	16	15	91	11	10	11	61	34	150	30	449	145	78	31	19	21	33	26	111	34	93	29
Tyrone,	520	153	126	37	107	17	86	23	107	29	122	33	1.900	203	208	28	141	51	159	30	234	36	159	52
Waterford County,	293	92	46	11	48	7	50	15	60	16	86	13	333	97	58	19	48	13	44	22	43	26	40	12
,, City,	102	32	13	10	17	1	14	5	13	5	36	11	120	47	30	12	19	9	24	14	21	8	31	3
Westmeath,	253	25	51	3	53	5	59	3	32	5	53	7	332	69	49	13	19	14	59	15	75	19	35	15
Wexford,	234	88	91	14	30	9	39	26	33	16	59	31	322	143	51	21	33	22	71	34	49	34	101	48
Wicklow,	281	30	59	10	57	6	42	9	63	5	60	12	253	64	54	19	51	6	44	12	40	13	35	23
Total of Ireland,	18 921	4 238	3,641	839	4,017	859	3 840	811	3 208	829	3,905	899	20 587	5 226	3 491	865	3,564	1 093	3 789	1 293	4 691	1,411	5,102	1,564
	22 269		4,480		4,876		4,151		4,121		4,891		25,813		4,356		4 651		5 086		6,018		6,566	

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PRISONS—IRELAND.

County Gaols.

Tables compiled from Returns from the Local Inspectors of Gaols.

Bridewells.

Tables compiled from Returns from Local Inspectors and Bridewell Keepers.

Convict Prisons.

Returns from the Directors of Convict Prisons.

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Returns from Reformatory Schools.

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Returns from Industrial Schools.

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COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN GAOLS.	Prison Receipts.			Local Rates				Her Majesty's Treasury					Total
	Profits of Prisoners' Labour	Vagrants Money applied to Maintenance.	Other small Contingent Receipts.	Of the County	Of the City or Borough.	Of other Counties for Prisoners under Contract.	Of other Cities or Boroughs for Prison are under Contract.	Proportion of the Charge for Convicted Prisoners	Removal of Convicts.	Customs—for Revenue Prisoners.	War Office—for Army Prisoners.	Admiralty—for Naval Prisoners.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town,	326 15 11	0 14 0	–	4,040 4 3	–	–	–	500 12 4	–	–	7 2 0	3 2 0	4,482 13 0
Armagh,	48 0 10	–	–	1,652 10 1	–	–	–	286 17 1	–	–	20 18 0	–	2,016 6 0
Carlow,	–	–	–	1,260 13 0	–	–	–	52 18 10	–	–[a]	3 3 0	–	1,323 13 4
Cavan,	22 0 5	–	–	1,413 3 2	–	–	–	87 1 7	–	7 14 0	2 11 0	–	1,532 10 3
Clare,	15 16 11	–	17 1 3	1,479 1 10	–	–	–	40 0 2	–	–	0 14 0	–	1,552 3 2
Cork County,	85 0 1	0 7 8	67 3 1	3 178 3 11	–	–	–	321 10 7	2 10 0	2 0 0	354 15 0	71 0 0	4,072 15 9
„ City,	80 3 7	–	–	–	2,141 7 0	–	–	471 11 1	–	–	13 5 0	–	2 712 12 8
Donegal,	16 0 10	–	11 16 8	1,666 16 8	–	–	–	27 6 6	–	10 11 10	0 10 0	–	1 812 0 10
Down	12 7 5	–	11 15 0	1,723 10 0	–	–	–	–	–	–	0 14 0	–	1,748 14 11
Drogheda Town,	14 16 11	–	–	–	421 16 8	–	–	17 13 6	–	–	0 19 0	–	425 0 4
Dublin County,	4 8 8	–	1 4 6	2,334 8 4	–	5 15 11	7 8 0	–	–	–	158 14 0	–	2,011 10 0
Dublin City:													
Richmond,	302 18 2	–	–	–	5,850 10 1	1 8 2	–	800 8 0	1 4 0	–	128 18 0	31 15 0	7,332 0 11
Grangegorman,	76 8 9	–	–	–	3,943 10 0	–	–	424 17 0	–	–	–	–	4,340 14 10
Farmanagh,	13 8 8	–	8 16 8	982 11 0	–	–	–	76 8 0	–	–	0 15 0	–	1,063 0 1
Galway County,	43 8 4	–	–	1,826 14 8	4567 18 4	–	–	164 10 0	–	11 16 7	0 14 0	1 3 0	2,411 12 0
Galway Town,	b–	b–	b–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	—
Kerry,	21 9 0	–	13 7 8	1,726 4 7	–	–	–	254 13 8	–	–	1 16 0	–	2,026 10 11
Kildare,	51 6 11	–	16 2 7	1,838 16 0	–	–	–	342 5 11	–	–	176 6 3	–	2 421 14 0
Kilkenny County,	–	–	1 13 0	1,154 13 8	–	–	–	70 13 10	–	–	1 0 0	–	1,228 4 8
„ City,	–	–	2 5 0	–	526 7 8	–	–	12 13 3	–	–	28 2 0	–	580 7 11
King's,	31 18 7	–	–	1,420 8 0	–	–	–	73 3 3	–	–	67 6 0	–	1,500 6 4
Leitrim,	8 8 6	–	8 16 6	1,212 8 5	–	–	–	40 6 1	–	–	–	–	1,264 14 6
Limerick County,	42 11 0	–	7 7 4	2,026 2 6	–	60 16 6	–	227 4 2	–	–	63 5 0	10 7 0	3,148 15 0
„ City,	77 4 6	–	–	–	1,178 6 8	–	–	127 14 2	–	–	2 14 6	–	1,380 8 2
Londonderry,	101 11 4	–	–	2,117 14 10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,360 4 2
Longford,	8 10 3	–	8 15 4	1 500 12 0	–	–	–	85 9 7	–	1 11 0	10 7 0	–	1,678 10 2
Louth,	29 15 0	–	–	1,290 0 0	–	–	–	106 18 0	–	–	29 13 0	–	1,464 17 0
Mayo,	3 8 8½	–	14 1 8	1 671 0 4½	–	–	–	110 17 8	–	8 8 1	45 7 0	–	1 861 7 1
Meath	0 16 7	–	2 0 0	2,021 0 0	–	–	–	93 11 8	–	–	2 0 0	–	2,126 19 11
Monaghan,	8 0 0	–	–	913 8 3½	–	–	–	208 10 1	–	–	1 11 0	–	1,187 14 5½
Queen's,	7 2 0	–	–	1,302 18 0	–	–	–	80 15 10	–	–	0 18 0	–	1,403 8 10
Roscommon,	7 15 0	–	–	1,023 0 0	–	–	–	63 2 2	–	–	–	–	1,364 7 2
Sligo,	8 0 0	–	1 0 0	1 477 10 10	–	–	–	77 13 3	–	0 7 10	–	–	1,507 12 2
Tipperary, North Riding,	86 0 1	–	2 0 7	1,197 4 0	–	–	–	124 16 11	–	–	–	–	1,329 1 1
„ South Riding,	202 0 0	–	–	2,286 1 0	–	–	–	270 1 4	–	–	2 11 8	–	2 950 17 0
Tyrone,	43 15 1½	0 1 0½	5 10 6	1,537 0 7	–	–	–	89 14 10	–	–	1 5 8	–	1,985 12 7
Waterford County,	85 3 5	–	–	1,138 14 10	–	–	–	128 0 6	–	–	0 2 0	–	1,354 0 11
„ City,	80 3 5	–	–	–	675 10 8	–	–	110 8 1	–	–	1 10 0	–	831 4 0
Westmeath,	80 0 0	0 4 6	17 17 8½	1,661 0 1½	–	–	–	54 3 6	–	–	46 2 8	–	1 879 4 10
Wexford,	20 7 7	–	8 0 6	1,810 12 11	–	–	–	126 10 6	–	–	0 8 0	–	1,966 14 6
Wicklow,	37 6 4	–	–	1,379 6 0	–	–	–	164 5 2	–	–	1 11 8	–	1,576 7 7
Total,	3,030 17 5	1 7 10½	208 15 11½	60,709 0 0½	15,330 1 2	66 2 10	7 8 0	6,664 18 8	4 1 0	37 11 1	1 212 18 8	122 13 0	86 472 12 5½

a Levied off the borough for prisoners under contract.

b Included in County Return.

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GAOLS.—TABLE 2.—NUMBER and DISPOSAL of PRISONERS of EVERY CLASS in COUNTY and COUNTY

COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS	Number under Detention								Numbers Discharged, Removed,											
	Total under Detention in course of the year		At beginning of year		Received during the Year				Total Discharged, Removed, Released or Died during the year		Discharged.									
					On Commitment or Remand during the year, and who have not been received from other Gaols or Asylums		From the Custody of other Governors of Gaols, and Enumerated in their Returns, or from Asylums.				On Termination of Sentence		On Termination of Prosecution by Acquittal or otherwise		On Payment of Fines.		On Pardon or Commutation.		On Ticket-of-Leave.	
	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W	M	W
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town	2,356	1,618	180	66	2 173	1,632		.	2,206	1,553	1,641	1,530	271	77	213	86	16	1	.	
Armagh,	433	165	57	22	336	164		.	436	133	376	103	6	3	24		2			
Carlow,	150	42	12	2	138	40		.	106	46	116	32	36	8	2		1	—	.	
Cavan,	342	108	31	4	311	104		—	620	163	249	66	45	8	16		6	—	—	
Clare,	256	64	19	5	246	59	—	.	237	58	163	36	62	16	1	1	4	—	.	.
Cork County	612	288	36	36	317	203	—		794	271	248	264	166	6	8	1	7	1	.	.
,, City,	1,483	1,781	86	52	1,372	1,726	61		2,635	1 716	1,120	1 646	148	47	23	7	9	—		.
Donegal,	305	71	17	5	288	66			287	33	211	56	46	6	10	—	15	1		.
Down,	445	208	30	12	414	223	1	1	436	618	327	203	67	16	8	2	8	—	—	.
Drogheda Town,	156	75	3	4	156	68		.	152	85	118	56	21	8	11	1		.	.	
Dublin County,	702	466	58	13	730	477	4		732	466	464	291	157	36	56	8	5	1	.	.
Dublin City																				
Richmond,	3,736	.	241		3,476	.	16	.	3,490		2,781	.	415	—	130	—	17		.	.
Grangegorman	.	3,825		67	.	3,762	.	26		3,765	—	3,306	—	231		32	.	2	.	.
Fermanagh,	236	74	9	6	227	71	—	—	214	73	165	73	15	1	.	—	5	.	.	
Galway County,	228	102	22	10	206	92	—	—	252	96	136	84	66	6	6	2	6	—	—	
,, Town,	231	226	12	6	219	220	—	—	224	217	137	166	41	16	4	2	1	1	.	
Kerry	514	160	48	7	466	163			471	176	363	166	45	13	26		4	.	.	.
Kildare	266	159	54	16	335	151	57	.	331	133	223	123	78	21	9	4	4	.	.	.
Kilkenny County,	133	27	12	2	126	25			123	22	94	17	17	3			5	1	.	.
,, City,	178	65	16	8	168	36		.	173	83	116	65	47	13	6	4	.		.	.
King's,	213	66	25	5	164	55		.	204	63	135	51	5		2	1	2			
Leitrim,	176	28	17	1	153	27		.	163	26	147	27	5		2	1	2		.	.
Limerick County,	368	86	66	13	318	75	16	.	339	81	218	61	77	13	2	1	8	1		
,, City,	666	267	28	16	638	278			643	282	333	247	16	5	115	24	2	.		
Londonderry,	842	434	32	16	614	416	—		663	424	450	366	44	16	76	21	8	1	.	
Longford,	361	88	19	3	367	84	61	1	359	86	284	67	60	16	2	—	5	2		
Louth,	365	142	25	16	286	130	—		264	136	162	121	87	3	1		1	—	.	
Mayo,	562	131	33	6	516	125	.		516	117	326	83	166	25	8		1	2	.	
Meath,	264	44	16	4	233	40			265	42	212	24	30	16	8	.	8	.	.	—
Monaghan,	256	76	41	8	209	76	.	.	224	76	170	53	31	8	8	1	2	1		
Queen's,	362	62	21	6	330	53	1		330	61	173	41	100	16	11	1	1			
Roscommon,	159	63	21	6	138	60	.	.	143	60	123	60		.	3	—	1	.		
Sligo,	361	75	22	4	676	71	.		362	68	223	66	86	6	13		2	.	—	—
Tipperary North Riding	336	61	34	7	302	54	.		377	88	267	74	81	7	26	1	4	—	.	
,, South Riding,	538	282	57	15	575	237	8		530	287	383	186	82	21	164	14	7	1		
Tyrone,	432	222	17	20	415	202	—	.	467	202	313	162	86	6	13	2	5	.		.
Waterford County,	137	34	22	8	135	23	.	.	132	29	87	26	31		8	—	4	.	.	
,, City,	486	255	26	17	410	228	.	.	416	265	323	215	27	16	19	2	2	—	1	.
Westmeath,	307	116	33	5	274	113		.	286	107	213	102	55	1	13	6	4	.	—	.
Wexford,	313	116	31	11	282	90		.	276	92	221	81	34	7	2		.		.	.
Wicklow,	235	47	21	6	605	41			205	44	245	36	26	1	10		1		—	.
Total Men and Boys,	20,330		1,562	—	16,265		41		18,466		14,064		2,628		1,561	.	162		1	
Total Women and Girls,		12,364		576	.	13,662	—	26	.	12 582	—	16 841		762		270		16		
Total Men and Women, &c.,	33,333		2,166		31,348		68		31,466		25,505		3,326		1,361		178		1	

a Received from lunatic asylum

b Including 5 received from lunatic asylum.

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of CITY and of TOWN GAOLS, on COMMITMENT, REMAND, or REMOVAL, in the Year 1871.

Released, or Died during the Year.																				
Removed								Released or Died.										Remaining in Prison at end of year		COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS
To Reformatories.		To Government Prisons.		To other Gaols.		To Lunatic Asylums.		Bailed		Died.		Executed		Committed Suicide.		Escaped.				
M	W	M.	W	M	W	M.	W.	M	W.	M.	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W	M	W	
22	3	12	2					20	4	1					1			162	65	Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
	1	0	2		1			13	2									20	17	Armagh.
1		2	1				1	10	1	1								14	2	Carlow
3		4					1											22	5	Cavan.
2	1	1	1	10		1	1	4										22	5	Clare.
0	1	9	2	2		2	1	15	3									110	27	Cork County
22	4	9	2			2		50	10									65	65	,, City
						2	1	2	2	1								18	5	Donegal
3		1	0					2				1						30	13	Down
1		1																6	3	Drogheda Town
28	0	614	2	4	24	7		17	5									60	21	Dublin County
																				Dublin City
92		26		1		0		27		7								240		Richmond
	20		22		1		2		21		1								120	Grangegorman.
						1		3										22	1	Fermanagh.
5	2	2	3					7										20	0	Galway County
2						2		0	2	1								7	0	,, Town.
4	1	3	1			1		5			1							43	14	Kerry
5		4	0	1		1		0	1									65	17	Kildare.
		4	1					7								1		10	5	Kilkenny County
		2	1					2										5	2	,, City
2		3	1					4										15	7	King's
		1						0										10		Leitrim.
5		2	2				1	20	2	1								42	7	Limerick County
4		2				2	2	01	4									23	15	,, City
		1	1					13	1									43	10	Londonderry
1			1		1			21	0		1							22	2	Longford.
2			1			1												21	12	Louth.
2	1	3	3			5	1	57	2									56	14	Mayo
2		0	1		1			4										16	2	Meath.
2		1	2	1														20	0	Monaghan
2	1	2																12	3	Queen's
		1				1		2										10	3	Roscommon
4						1	1				1							12	7	Sligo.
		5		1				23	1									13	3	Tipperary North Riding
4		4	5					5				1						30	15	,, South Riding
	1	2	5	13				5	3									25	20	Tyrone
4	2							1	1									25	5	Waterford County
1		2	1					4	1									17	20	,, City
4		2				2		7	1									27	11	Westmeath
4	1		2					7	1									35	18	Wexford.
3		4	5	1		2		0										30	3	Wicklow
244		138		34		42		451		12		2		1		1		1,403		Total Men and Boys.
	45		76		28		10		81		4								802	Total Women and Girls.
289		214		62		61		532		16		2		1		1		2,205		Total Men and Women, &c

a Including 2 sent to Four Courts Marshalsea.

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GAOLS.—TABLE 3.—NUMBER of COMMITMENTS to the COUNTY and COUNTY of CITY and of TOWN GAOLS in the year 1871, previously committed, with the number of such Criminals

COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS	Total Commitments of all Kinds		For Debt or Civil Process, and for Military or Naval Offences.					Ordinary Criminals									
			Total Commitments for Debt or Civil Process, and for Military or Naval Offences		Debtors, as well as Civil Process.		For Military or Naval Offences	Total Number of Commitments of Ordinary Criminals, 1871		Summary Convictions.		At Assizes or Quarter Sessions.				Remanded and Discharged		Committed for Want of Sureties.	
												For Trial.		Convicted.					
	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town,	2,279	1,832	126	6	109	6	20	2,053	1,823	1,725	1,661	33	16	7	5	156	69	61	42
Armagh,	366	154	48	4	41	4	7	318	150	285	109	21	15	10	2	45	5	11	20
Carlow,	168	40	11	3	7	3	4	157	37	117	22	23	4			17	1		
Cavan,	311	104	25	—	14	—	11	286	104	223	98	17	8	18	4	25	8	3	1
Clare,	246	56	21	3	16	3	2	210	56	146	37	28	9	26	5	24	8	—	—
Cork County,	617	288	126	3	39	0	83	460	262	312	180	72	2	38	2	36	1	20	61
,, City,	1,372	1,728	77	8	50	8	27	1,295	1,720	1,005	1,564	40	24	93	45	84	26	76	59
Donegal,	288	66	44	1	6	1	38	244	65	163	65	11	2	33	—	28	4	4	4
Down,	414	223	64	8	42	5	2	370	218	303	203	18	8	18	2	22	4	3	1
Drogheda Town,	150	60	8	.	2	—	1	147	60	122	50	2	1	2	1	20	8	—	—
Dublin County,	738	477	55	6	34	6	22	574	471	432	416	63	16	11	—	94	23	24	14
Dublin City																			
Richmond,	3,476		67	.	—		67	3,419		2,897		407		142		310	.	223	.
Grangegorman,	—	3 709	—	.	—	.	.	.	3,702	—	2,276	—	58	—	139	—	173	.	52
Fermanagh,	227	71	6	.	7	—	2	213	71	164	63	8	2	16	4	26	3	2	.
Galway County,	266	82	11	2	10	2	1	255	80	186	67	24	6	16	2	22	4	25	6
,, Town,	216	220	11	—	7	—	4	208	220	137	180	13	6	5	1	41	15	14	6
Kerry,	466	195	11	1	8	1	2	455	182	301	142	4	1	46	12	87	13	17	14
Kildare,	335	151	55	—	12	.	43	280	151	178	112	20	13	9	4	60	15	2	6
Kilkenny County,	126	25	5	1	3	1	2	121	24	78	14	15	3	20	3	11	2	2	2
,, City,	163	60	12	1	4	1	8	154	76	100	64	0	—	4	1	46	14	2	—
King's,	164	55	23	.	0	.	14	171	65	117	43	7	1	12	0	22	0	0	—
Leitrim,	156	27	4	—	2	.	2	155	27	110	20	5	1	6	—	24	4	1	2
Limerick County,	378	75	31	1	12	1	18	287	74	163	45	18	3	30	8	70	12	14	7
,, City,	623	276	72	1	12	1	—	626	277	425	235	30	11	.	1	60	16	2	12
Londonderry,	614	420	24	1	13	1	11	590	417	467	300	22	10	67	—	25	7	16	4
Longford,	387	84	45	2	6	2	39	322	82	222	64	13	2	37	5	41	7	0	4
Louth,	280	126	48	1	0	1	39	252	123	156	115	8	1	16	0	32	7	.	—
Mayo,	510	125	6	—	6	.	—	507	125	272	81	4	1	83	17	131	25	11	1
Meath,	240	40	11	.	7	—	4	237	40	200	20	21	5	6	.	25	12	0	—
Monaghan,	209	70	20	.	21	.	5	188	70	129	51	8	5	25	13	20	4	.	—
Queen's,	288	53	14	—	4	.	10	256	53	130	27	62	18	6	1	26	6	12	4
Roscommon,	136	60	2	.	2	—	—	136	60	83	34	10	1	14	1	11	1	2	3
Sligo,	279	71	13	1	6	1	1	260	70	202	68	13	2	27	4	21	4	.	—
Tipperary, North Riding,	362	84	17	4	15	4	2	345	80	218	66	11	2	61	2	47	4	8	6
,, South Riding,	575	237	17	1	14	1	3	558	236	410	108	28	13	25	0	68	12	11	0
Tyrone,	420	202	75	3	21	0	67	337	190	240	130	15	0	24	3	31	5	18	47
Waterford County,	138	29	7	.	7	—	—	128	29	73	16	13	2	10	3	22	.	4	2
,, City,	416	238	5	—	1	—	4	405	236	340	213	7	5	5	—	16	16	28	0
Westmeath,	274	116	15	—	5	—	10	263	113	190	106	13	3	16	—	28	1	0	1
Wexford,	282	60	18	.	16	.	2	264	63	212	36	26	12	7	.	16	7	.	—
Wicklow,	205	41	12	.	4	.	8	222	41	166	30	46	11	16	—	25	.	5	—
Total Men and Boys,	10,265		1,163		613	.	570	10,088		13,188	.	1,343	.	998	.	1,893		682	
Total Women and Girls,	.	12,083	.	65	.	55	—		12,018		10,420	—	316	.	310	—	566	—	409
Total Men and Women, &c.,	31,348		1,248		670		578	30,100		23,587		1,659		1,308		2,454		1,091	

a "Ordinary" criminals is used throughout these Tables to distinguish those committed other than for debt or civil process, or for military or naval offences.

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and, so far as known, the number of Commitments of Ordinary Criminals,* other than those remanded and discharged, who have been who have not been previously committed to any Prison.

Total Number of Commitments of Ordinary Criminals other than those Remanded and Discharged.		Number of Cases of Commitments of Ordinary Criminals, except of Persons Remanded and Discharged, in which Persons Committed are known to have been previously Convicted to any Prison		Number of Cases of Commitments of Ordinary Criminals, other than those Remanded and Discharged, in which Persons Committed had been Previously Committed to any Prison whether in 1871 or before.†																Number of Persons, except those Remanded and Discharged, who were previously convicted, and had undergone a Sentence of Transportation or Penal Servitude		COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS
				Total Number of Re-commitments.		Once.		Twice.		Thrice.		Four Times.		Five Times.		Six or Seven Times.		Eight, Nine, or Ten Times.		Above Ten Times.				
M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	
1,894	1,754	922	240	1,272	1,508	622	471	202	102	121	72	78	45	62	51	75	48	87	47	226	280	0	11	Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
302	165	224	92	78	73	41	26	8	13	5	3	3	2	5	2	3	6	3	1	4	9	3	1	Armagh.
148	89	126	38	14	8	3	3	2	3	2	-				1	1	-	-	1	1	-			Carlow
561	98	201	78	60	22	12	4	14	4	2	2	3		3	1	5	2	4	3	2	3	3	1	Cavan.
135	58	158	25	47	14	17	2	12	2	7	2	2	1	1	2	-	3	4		5	2	2	-	Clare.
851	291	440	89	211	172	39	30	42	30	28	18	15	12	9	15	14	14	9	15	7	35	2	5	Cork County.
1,211	1,582	574	176	637	1,516	335	491	284	260	75	294	24	90	15	85	13	115	17	144	1	311	0	0	,, City
218	91	130	15	77	45	54	19	13	8	0	-	5		2	1	3	4	3	3	1	23	3	3	Donegal
648	214	281	51	87	122	42	20	15	22	3	14	15	16	4	3	4	26	4	5	4	16	1	3	Down.
127	91	93	18	64	45	35	10	18	14	5	15	4		-	-					-	-	1	1	Drogheda Town.
559	548	422	337	159	111	90	25	10	10	15	7	5	3	0	3	19	5	3	3	7	41	7	2	Dublin County
																								Dublin City
3,186		1,580		1,528		504		252		150		100		78		103		111		228		13		Richmond.
	3,525	-	443		3,080	-	473		254		204		165	-	136	-	137	-	393	-	1,161	-	40	Grangegorman.
192	68	136	34	88	25	35	13	17	8	8	5	7	3	3	4	0	2	3	1	3	2	-	-	Fermanagh.
233	82	100	33	133	50	31	22	18	10	10	5	7	2	2	3	2	3	3	1	1	3	-	-	Galway County
167	204	75	91	92	113	43	55	14	21	10	7	7	3	2	3	4	5	2	3	5	3	-	-	,, Town
418	169	292	55	218	114	92	52	72	19	35	5	10	10	3	1	11	1	2	2	3	14	4	1	Kerry
245	150	154	40	91	97	39	12	21	7	3	5	7	5	3	3	4	3	2	3	3	45	4	4	Kildare.
119	32	80	15	30	3	15	2	5	2	2	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	3	1	3		1	-	Kilkenny County.
103	65	68	24	41	41	10	24	7	0	0	-	3	2		1	1	5	3	3	2	5	2		,, City
142	50	93	24	46	28	23	10	3	5	1	3	3	2	2	1	3	2	-	2	1	2	2	1	King's
101	28	77	8	54	15	12	3	27	1	3	1	1	-		1			5		1	4	-		Leitrim
317	92	193	43	84	15	23	2	3	5	4	-	3		3	1	2	1	1	1	-		-	1	Limerick County
457	258	325	157	122	101	32	40	23	23	17	12	6	5	6	4	3	1	5	3	2	4	2	1	,, City
595	410	278	69	289	241	63	110	29	51	32	52	22	32	13	29	15	36	12	18	30	29	2	3	Londonderry.
251	75	187	38	124	43	51	12	13	4	13	5	11		3	-	3	-	2	4	27	17	1	1	Longford.
180	122	48	94	132	53	26	33	25	6	9	1	-		1	5	-	4	-	2			-		Louth
378	180	263	52	115	43	65	15	35	11	12	3	10	2	3	3	5	2	5	5	5	5	2	2	Mayo.
220	28	192	3	67	15	53	14	12	2	5	2	1										2	1	Meath.
153	86	103	22	55	23	14	3	5	5	0	3	0	2	3	5	0		-	3			1		Monaghan.
240	50	173	42	58	8	20	4	13	-	12		7		3		3	2	2	-	3	2	-	1	Queen's
125	50	93	40	25	12	9	7	6	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1		2	2	4	3		2	Roscommon.
248	93	108	26	146	40	57	9	23	7	25	3	5	2	5	0	12	1	5	3	15	5	-	1	Sligo.
398	76	189	55	109	23	67	10	20	2	13	-	3		5	-	3	3	13	1	10	5		-	Tipperary, North Riding
480	217	215	24	270	188	52	29	60	23	34	15	33	17	14	12	23	15	24	7	43	32	1	2	,, South Riding.
602	134	163	68	138	109	35	13	23	11	20	10	13	7	11	13	7	0	14	20	0	71	2	5	Tyrone.
136	29	64	18	42	11	13	3	3	2	7	1	2		-	-	-	2	3	-	2	-	-	1	Waterford County.
386	226	120	28	250	157	73	17	29	24	21	17	28	30	13	8	17	21	17	10	28	24	1	2	,, City
531	112	195	26	40	24	8	0	3	3	3	1	3	2	5	1	2	3	2	10	2	5	-	-	Westmeath.
245	92	135	35	131	57	25	15	17	3	3	5	5	5	4	3	11	2	14	8	15	16	-	1	Wexford.
265	41	199	26	70	15	25	1	4	2	12	-	5	1	2	2	7	3	0	2	3	4	2	-	Wicklow.
16,188		8 812		7,370	-	2,950	-	1,456	-	810	—	564	-	319	—	404		399		823	-	35	-	Total Men and Boys.
-	11,462		2 914		8,849		2 123	-	1,007	—	797	-	554		459		537	-	779		2 655	-	110	Total Women and Girls.
27,649		11 927		16 019		4,775		2,595		1,577		998		740		943		1,136		5,395		195		Total Men and Women, &c.

† In previous years the recommitments included debtors, military offenders, and ordinary offenders who were remanded and discharged, but the statistics of habitual crime can be more correctly deduced from ordinary criminals.

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GAOLS.—TABLE 4.—AGE, SEX, and BIRTHPLACE of ORDINARY CRIMINALS

COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS	Age and Sex.															
	Under 12 Years.		12 Years and under 16.		16 Years and under 21		21 Years and under 30.		30 Years and under 40.		40 Years and under 50		50 Years and under 60.		60 and above	
	B	G	B.	G	M	W	M	W.	M	W	M.	W.	M	W.	M	W
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town,	12	2	70	12	443	144	823	312	382	468	171	262	80	54	52	40
Armagh,	.		16	4	66	9	140	67	54	52	57	25	10	4	6	2
Carlow,			6	.	22	2	71	15	21	11	13	5	7	2	4	1
Cavan,	2		3	1	60	3	130	22	56	55	17	16	3	1	7	2
Clare,	1	.	3	2	24	10	83	24	46	11	20	6	15	3	8	1
Cork County,	3	.	13	1	150	17	323	95	115	73	35	35	20	22	12	14
„ City,	21	7	54	11	334	313	361	921	134	225	155	226	136	171	80	120
Donegal,	.		3		55	11	84	20	43	9	27	13	13	7	17	5
Down,	4		22	2	69	13	38	50	93	73	32	35	25	32	10	7
Drogheda Town,	1		2		15	15	42	13	34	25	21	12	24	4	2	3
Dublin County,	3	2	32	3	133	35	242	190	112	140	60	44	16	27	14	9
Dublin City.																
Richmond,	66	.	258		686	.	1,400		891		282		16		40	
Grangegorman,	.	3		107	.	277		1,952		922	.	222	.	60	.	17
Fermanagh,	.	.	4		37	4	70	40	33	14	20	7	10	3	9	1
Galway County,	1		10	6	63	17	87	21	40	14	20	12	3	10	4	3
„ Town,			16	3	46	20	38	103	24	44	10	24	10	13	3	4
Kerry,	6	.	18	2	111	21	169	79	87	53	30	14	21	3	11	5
Kildare,		1	20	1	43	3	108	70	39	44	27	12	13	3	7	3
Kilkenny County,		.	3	.	24	1	51	10	23	7	5	.	11	3	4	1
„ City,	2		18	3	29	3	37	23	35	30	17	12	13	1	4	3
King's,	1	.	11		34	2	72	23	21	14	13	2	1	4	5	3
Leitrim,	.	.	3		30	2	70	12	23	7	9	4	3	2	3	.
Limerick County,	2	2	13	1	83	11	140	20	28	25	17	1	12	2	7	3
„ City,	3	.	20	3	105	39	229	111	103	54	53	30	5	4	5	6
Londonderry,	2	2	14	3	[117	13	244	204	80	78	62	31	26	31	16	1
Longford,		.	6	3	63	7	161	26	47	27	21	5	20	10	14	4
Louth,	0		3		40	13	94	33	30	60	25	15	7	5	3	2
Mayo,	2	[2	3	2	30	11	210	43	93	24	40	17	11	3	20	9
Meath,	.	.	3	1	47	7	138	20	41	3	11	2	14	2		
Monaghan,	.	.	2	.	33	6	77	30	41	17	20	12	6	3	2	2
Queen's,	1		4	3	40	4	94	13	41	9	20	6	13	7	6	1
Roscommon,	.	1	6	.	37	2	87	20	31	13	3	7	11	1	3	2
Sligo,	2	.	7		43	3	120	14	48	22	23	25	.	.		
Tipperary, North Riding,	1	.	3	.	37	2	172	55	31	13	45	3	13	3	13	1
„ South Riding,		.	23	2	37	14	224	133	120	61	52	24	24	12	12	
Tyrone,	2	.	.	1	63	7	140	35	63	73	33	13	13	13	13	4
Waterford County,	4	.	7	2	22	2	53	6	24	14	3	4	4	1	1	.
„ City,	3	.	11	4	82	27	170	63	74	63	33	51	23	13	6	5
Westmeath,	.	.	11	1	50	3	110	53	47	20	20	13	4	3	2	3
Wexford,	3	.	3	2	23	13	102	33	54	13	23	3	23	17	13	7
Wicklow,	4	.	3	.	43	6	86	13	33	11	23	3	23	4	12	1
Total Men and Boys,	154	.	792	.	3,027	.	7,203	.	3,270	.	1,648	.	333	.	447	
Total Women and Girls,	.	23	.	100		1,243		5,257	.	2,837	.	1,452	.	627	.	291
Total Men and Women, &c.,	177		892		4,270		12,462		6,107		3,095		1,463		803	

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COMMITTED to the COUNTY and COUNTY of CITY and of TOWN GAOLS in the Year 1871.

Age not ascertained.		Total Commitments of ordinary Criminals.		Birthplace: Ireland		England		Wales		Scotland		Colonies and East Indies		Foreign Countries.		Not ascertained		COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS.
M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	
		2,052	1,898	1,036	1,772	30	33	1		21	15	4	6	2			2	Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
		346	133	345	107	1	1			2	3							Armagh.
		157	37	155	37	1				1								Carlow
		280	104	280	104													Cavan
		219	58	219	58													Clare
		680	262	621	262	32		6		7		5		21				Cork County
		1,295	1,726	1,265	1,715	13	4	2		6				4			1	,, City
		244	65	243	65	1												Donegal
		670	218	365	217	3				1	1			1				Down
		147	66	146	66			1										Drogheda Town
		674	471	647	446	13	24	3	1	1		5	1	6				Dublin County
																		Dublin City
14		3 419		3,280		78		8		16		6		15		14		Richmond.
	9		3,702		3 627		26				12		1		3		36	Grangegormen
1		216	71	216	71													Fermanagh.
6	1	255	90	255	90													Galway County
		308	220	303	220	2								6				,, Town
		455	182	453	182									2				Kerry
		280	151	254	146	22	1		1	4								Kildare
		121	24	121	24													Kilkenny County
		195	70	192	70	3				1								,, City
		171	55	171	55													King's
		155	37	155	27													Leitrim
		287	74	286	74	7												Limerick County
		526	277	526	277	3				2				1				,, City
		588	417	579	416	4	1			3				4				Londonderry
		323	82	315	82	5										2		Longford
		252	128	226	124	16	2			3	2							Louth
26	7	507	125	478	118	1				2						26	7	Mayo
		257	40	251	40	6												Meath
		193	78	192	70					1								Monaghan
43	16	266	53	265	53	1	1											Queen's
		136	60	135	60	1												Roscommon
		280	70	268	69		1											Sligo
7		245	80	225	79	1										19	1	Tipperary, North Riding
		556	236	555	235	2	1			1								,, South Riding
		667	189	534	189	3				1								Tyrone.
		128	29	124	32	4												Waterford County
		405	286	385	286	6										14		,, City
		258	113	256	113	1												Westmeath.
		204	99	202	99	2												Wexford.
6	1	383	41	285	41	4		1										Wicklow
102		16,082		17,553		286		78		72		22		59		62		Total Men and Boys.
	26		13,618		11,636		93		2		62		6		3		41	Total Women and Girls.
128		30,100		29,419		344		80		163		36		62		103		Total Men and Women &c.

* Born at sea.

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GAOLS.—TABLE 5.—INSTRUCTION and OCCUPATIONS of the ORDINARY CRIMINALS

COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS.	Degree of Instruction										Total Commitments of ordinary Criminals.		No Occupation.		Domestic Servants.	
	Neither Read nor Write.		Read but Read and Write imperfectly		Read and Write well		Superior Instruction.		Instruction not ascertained.							
	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town,	711	783	330	544	988	486	14	5	.	.	2,053	1,823	82	282	32	14
Armagh,	140	69	102	54	101	17	5	.	.	.	340	180	7	5	3	17
Carlow,	100	30	6	3	43	14	.	.	.	.	167	57	17	4	3	2
Cavan,	95	43	42	31	146	30	2	.	.	.	287	104	18	12	10	11
Clare,	110	46	37	7	72	4	.	.	.	.	210	56	32	.	8	7
Cork County,	204	155	50	42	345	85	.	.	.	.	633	302	20	92	2	35
,, City,	578	1,301	254	155	421	224	42	30	.	.	1,285	1,729	470	235	11	34
Donegal,	122	27	34	32	26	6	1	.	.	.	244	68	10	6	10	6
Down,	123	60	67	60	160	20	.	.	.	.	370	210	18	85	2	7
Drogheda Town,	63	66	40	16	61	15	4	.	.	.	147	69	2	30	.	6
Dublin County,	234	320	78	28	303	193	6	.	.	.	674	471	60	181	11	25
Dublin City:																
Richmond	805	.	415	.	2,151	.	64	.	14	.	2,410	.	102	.	110	.
Grangegorman,	.	1,010	.	825	.	202	.	.	.	12	.	2,702	.	461	.	52
Fermanagh,	70	32	40	37	100	12	.	.	.	.	218	71	30	21	5	2
Galway County,	120	73	10	1	111	15	.	.	6	1	255	20	10	25	11	5
,, Town,	84	130	20	20	64	51	4	2	.	.	200	220	20	20	10	9
Kerry,	203	130	12	14	235	46	5	.	.	.	455	162	24	54	4	52
Kildare,	122	70	44	42	114	32	.	1	.	.	280	161	17	40	5	4
Kilkenny County,	54	10	47	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	121	24	.	.	6	6
,, City,	77	57	28	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	185	72	.	.	3	7
King's,	75	26	60	27	4	.	3	.	.	.	171	50	.	14	1	16
Leitrim,	51	15	33	5	71	7	.	.	.	.	135	97	11	4	.	4
Limerick County,	85	30	172	44	10	.	11	.	.	.	287	74	16	13	14	19
,, City,	136	155	68	44	234	60	.	.	30	16	520	277	82	24	4	13
Londonderry,	82	93	234	264	211	54	43	6	.	.	580	417	130	10	62	16
Longford,	122	50	69	20	125	12	6	.	.	.	922	52	10	40	.	6
Louth,	93	91	42	20	103	10	4	.	.	.	232	129	143	55	10	3
Mayo,	209	92	13	11	197	15	2	.	20	7	567	125	.	.	.	1
Meath,	107	25	15	6	105	9	.	.	.	.	257	40	22	4	31	10
Monaghan,	51	24	117	43	16	3	.	.	.	.	138	70	9	1	14	10
Queen's,	68	25	52	6	102	9	9	1	42	10	900	53	7	8	9	9
Roscommon,	65	31	9	20	60	3	.	.	.	.	136	60	.	12	.	2
Sligo	125	49	26	13	108	10	.	.	.	.	268	76	10	17	9	2
Tipperary, North Riding,	110	41	54	13	168	20	4	.	31	.	845	80	2	.	1	10
,, South Riding,	260	172	49	28	242	55	2	.	.	.	558	238	10	51	47	12
Tyrone,	197	134	81	44	142	10	7	2	.	.	937	108	44	14	10	27
Waterford County,	62	28	20	5	40	1	.	.	.	.	120	29	9	12	.	3
,, City,	200	171	78	45	121	22	.	.	.	.	465	228	15	77	.	8
Westmeath,	110	62	120	45	17	9	2	.	4	.	250	113	4	3	9	2
Wexford,	112	57	130	40	10	2	.	.	.	.	264	69	17	62	3	13
Wicklow	123	61	60	9	44	4	6	.	.	.	203	41	20	5	12	9
Total Men and Boys,	6,647		3 340		7,695		264		143		18,082	.	1,580	.	460	.
Total Women and Girls,		6,543		2,837		2,345	.	46	.	46		12 010	.	1,837	.	504
Total Men and Women, &c.	13,190		6,180		10 330		310		191		30 100		3,517		990	

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COMMITTED to the COUNTY and COUNTY of CITY and of TOWN GAOLS in the Year 1871.

Class of Occupations: Labourers, Charwomen, Needlewomen		Factory Workers		Mechanics and Skilled Workers		Farmers and Overlookers of Labour		Shopmen, Shopwomen, and Clerks		Shopkeepers and Dealers		Professional Employments		Sailors, Marines, Soldiers (not being Persons charged at convicted of Desertion or other Military or Naval offences)	Prostitutes	Occupation not ascertained or not included in classes specified		COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS
M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	
968	122	629	139	541		9		14		91	113	9		56	1,227			Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
150	43	1	14	134	4			1		29	20			2	52			Armagh
154	27			2						1	1				9			Carlow
183	18	7		28		3		5		19	6			4	57			Cavan
105	20			30		25		1		1				1	21	12	6	Clare.
337	43	13	2	163	1			6		15	14			124	135			Cork County
582	165			162	22	4		12	9	28	197	7		12	958			,, City
199	18			10				1		18	4			4	27			Donegal
219	120	15	23	74				1		38	36			12				Down
91		1	2	31	1	3		4		11	10			7	15			Drogheda Town
371	21	1	1	139	3	3		16		13	14			33	226			Dublin County
1,383		3		914				64		82		30		63		1,112		Dublin City
	57		1		53				4		72		3		2,960		30	Richmond
																		Grangegorman
190	14	6								3	4			1	30			Fermanagh
134	20	2	1	8		1		3		2		1			17	24	16	Galway County
198	39	3	2	7		3		3		1		1		4	48	12	42	,, Town.
262	11			117				3		22	12	17			53			Kerry
128	17	1		68		9		4	1	18	8	1		34	81			Kildare
86	16			23	2					4				1				Kilkenny County
87	27			45				1		7	5			2	40			,, City
134	12			28		8		2		1					18			King's
185	3			26		3				2					12	5	4	Leitrim
182	25			82		17		1		17	4	3		5	13			Limerick County
130	65			33				8			5	1			75	212	55	,, City
258	22	2	3	55		1	2	4		2	6			23	326	46	27	Londonderry
179	3			72	1	67	10	2		17		1		4	16			Longford.
23	18	3		41						12	3				73			Louth
426	117			43				1				3		4		26	7	Mayo.
81	18	28		31						8	8			28	6	21		Meath.
182	21			19						20	12				23			Monaghan
122	19	2	1	46		22		3		16	5	3		1	3	42	10	Queen's.
118	17			18											23			Roscommon
136			1	81		14				14	1			2	16			Sligo.
167	14			118	2					27	11	1		1	24	36	16	Tipperary, North Riding
386	25	2	4	81				1						2	136	34	14	,, South Riding
136	16	86	5	87		2	1	8	1	13	81	2		8	119			Tyrone.
95	11		1	18		8		1		2				5	2			Waterford County
272	9			84						29	11			14	182			,, City
201	16			22		16					6	1		8	76		4	Westmeath.
166	8			49	2			1		29	16	1		4	7			Wexford.
185	7	6		30		19				4	3			32	90			Wicklow.
9,341		466		3,148		203		168		547		87		493		1,533		Total Men and Boys.
	1,296		202		81		18		15		682		3		7,072		297	Total Women and Girls
10,637		668		3,236		222		183		1,193		70		493	7,072	1,819		Total Men and Women, &c

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GAOLS.—TABLE 6.—STATE and CONDITION of the COUNTY and COUNTY of CITY and of TOWN GAOLS, with

COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS	Number of Separate Sleeping Cells.		Number of Certified Cells.		Number of Certified Punishment Cells.		Capacity and State of the Prison						Number of Persons sentenced to Hard Labour in the Year		Greatest Number Sick at one time		Cases of			
							Numbers constructed to contain.		Greatest Number at one time.		Daily Average Number in the Year						Slight Indisposition		Infirmary Cases.	
	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town,	201	150	207	163	16		346	109	176	110	169	88	59	5	14	6	1,295	772	23	22
Armagh,	77	38	61	38	—		98	38	55	23	37	19	50	15	7	2	56	39	50	16
Carlow,	68	41	68	41	3	1	50	41	13	5	13	3	62	15	3	2	58	11	7	4
Cavan,	72	17	72	17	4	1	88	28	35	12	27	6	178	9	3	1	26	10	4	—
Clare,	102	12					127	12	38	2	24	6	100	11	3	1	148	82	50	16
Cork County,	138	32			62	2	188	92	141	45	114	32	426	66	3	2	631	307	21	3
,, City,	57	54	57	54	1	1	171	120	101	71	88	62	340	279	3	15	310	735	16	44
Donegal,	69	16					74	28	43	16	25	5	122	2	3	1	117	10	16	3
Down,	103	68	53	47			103	68	51	25	40	19	138	23	2	1	36	17	3	1
Drogheda Town,	30	20	25	16	1	1	30	21	14	11	7	5	15	2	1	1	24	15		
Dublin County,	100	31	69	31	4	3	103	31	30	16	69	15	138	46	10	3	287	119	33	13
Dublin City:																				
Richmond,	362		262		3	—	402	—	317	—	249		788		64		3,643	—	201	—
Grangegorman,	—	180		180		3	—	237	—	161	—	126	—	357	—	33		2,945	—	336
Fermanagh,	36	35					86	35	25	6	13	5	94	23	2	1	87	3	14	2
Galway County,	61	15	6	6			100	41	40	14	32	3	100	13	3	2	67	38	32	14
,, Town,									10	13	21	7	154	100	2	2	22	15	6	15
Kerry,	70	15	b		2	1	91	21	61	10	42	10	183	42	6	4	139	18	62	21
Kildare,	100	27	64		5	2	100	33	71	28	66	20	187	48	3	3	135	61	—	2
Kilkenny County,	91	75	91	75	1	1	91	75	27	3	16	3	63	4	11	5	58	20	11	1
,, City,									12	5	5	3	21	2	3	3	33	16	4	2
King's,	103	40	103	40	1	1	103	48	30	9	20	5	53	7	5		48	23	3	1
Leitrim,	56	18	56	18	5	2	81	30	25	3	14	1	78	8	7	1	107	9	27	4
Limerick County,	78	39	67	35			90	48	59	9	53	9	148	27	6	2	164	27	18	3
,, City,	68	30	68	30	3	2	68	30	40	23	27	18			2	1	44	4	7	3
Londonderry,	136	34	67	34	18	2	136	40	56	22	41	14	362	90	4	1	95	32	16	14
Longford,	42	12			63	2	104	43	44	9	23	4	130	21	4	1	52	20	20	9
Louth,	84	20	93	22	1	1	93	20	85	18	24	6	112	18	3	1	52	51	—	—
Mayo,	92	30	14	6	3	3	140	48	87	15	46	9	244	37	13	4	72	10	10	6
Meath,	60	55					105	66	28	8	24	4	151	5	10	2	160	37	32	1
Monaghan,	50	40	50	40	1	1	70	50	26	18	28	9	76	12	3	1	72	4	1	—
Queen's,	98	20	38	20	4	4	80	20	35	10	22	7	76	14	6	1	170	11	27	4
Roscommon,	48	13	67	21	5	1	78	20	32	3	22	5	76	12	2	1	62	21	10	1
Sligo,	74	17			—		118	55	31	13	23	8	114	18	3	3	69	22	13	5
Tipperary North Riding,	141	36	141	30			254	84	51	6	35	5	102	18	3	1	101	26	4	—
,, South Riding,	147	50	123	53	1	1	205	65	75	23	52	17	136	26	7	4	389	183	60	11
Tyrone,	77	37	77	37	2	2	86	36	37	18	24	18	117	21		2	101	72	2	15
Waterford County,	—		373	230	1	1	95	36	34	6	20	5	65	13	3	4	97	82	54	41
,, City,									34	24	21	13	81	8						
Westmeath,	103	20	43	11			103	20	47	15	28	3	123	30	4	2	225	62	19	7
Wexford,	22	14	65	45	—		120	71	47	23	33	15	113	34	3	1	33	15		
Wicklow,	50	23	50	23	1	1	50	24	43	0	33	0	150	27	3	1	148	17	1	—
Total Men and Boys	3,443	.	2 300		97	—	4,631	.	2,229	.	1,654	.	5,770	.	286		9 779	—	1,017	
Total Women and Girls,	.	1 439		1,152		45	.	1,350	.	890	.	628	.	1,524	.	124	.	6,014	.	367
Total Men and Women, &c.,	4,882		3,542		132		6,990		3,119		2,282		7,300		382		15 793		1 384	

a None of the cells in the prison have been certified up to the time of making the return. b The separate system not yet introduced in this prison. c Punishment cells not certified.
d Including separate sleeping cells.

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regard to CAPACITY, HEALTH, and PUNISHMENTS for PRISON OFFENCES in the Year 1871.

Sickness.				Deaths from Natural Causes		Punishments for Offences in Prison												County and County of City and of Town Gaols
Insanity.		Total Number of Cases of Sickness.				Whipping.		Irons or Handcuffs.		Solitary or Dark Cells.		Stoppage of Diet.		Other Punishments.		Total Punishments.		
M	W	M	W	M	W	M.	W.	M.	W.	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	
		1,231	794	1				2	1	[illegible]	1	1,107	49	25	3	1,189	54	Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
		125	75							13	1					13	1	Armagh
		53	16	1						18						18		Carlow
	1	82	20							4	2	2				6	2	Cavan
		102	18					1	2	30	3	29	14			60	29	Clare
2	1	654	316							150	3	227	24			363	12	Cork County
6		622	719				1					142	40			144	40	„ City
6	1	103	13	1						21				1		22		Donegal
		39	18							26	1					26	1	Down
		24	15							1	3					1	3	Drogheda Town
7		209	154							27		68				95		Dublin County
																		Dublin City
6		3,010		7								325				325		Richmond
	10		3,311		1			2			1		78				82	Grangegorman
1		42	6											10		10		Fermanagh
		69	52									10	4			12	4	Galway County
2		32	34	1								16	2			18	2	„ Town
1		202	39		1			2		12	17					14	17	Kerry
1		126	63					2	1	51	11					53	12	Kildare
		67	21							1						1		Kilkenny County
		37	18							3	2					3	2	„ City
		51	24							11		32	0			43	3	King's.
		134	10							7						7		Leitrim
	1	170	36	1		1		4		53			5			53	5	Limerick County
3	2	54	6							1	1	51	45			52	46	„ City
		101	40							580	512					80	12	Londonderry
		70	25		1					12				4		16		Longford
1		58	31							10		7				17		Louth
5	1	87	26					2		16	2	2				15	2	Mayo
		242	30					1		30						32		Meath
		73	4							3	3					3	3	Monaghan
		107	15							59	7					59	7	Queen's.
1		79	22							10	11	31	2			44	12	Roscommon
1	2	81	25							19						19		Sligo.
		102	20							11		67				78		Tipperary, North Riding
		200	194									81	10			81	10	„ South Riding
		100	67							12	10	17	8			29	18	Tyrone.
		151	122							535	7					65	7	Waterford County
										550	0					50	0	„ City
2		340	68							47	1					47	1	Westmeath
		83	15							30	10					0	10	Wexford.
1	1	150	18							20	1					20	1	Wicklow
41		10,827		12		1		18		232		2 269		40		3,250		Total Men and Boys.
	20		6 997		3				7		121		231		8		822	Total Women and Girls.
61		17,824		15		1		22		1,054		2,000		48		6,000		Total Men and Women, &c

a Restrained by Medical Authority.

b Including cases of stoppage of diet.

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GAOLS.—TABLE 7.—EXPENSES in DETAIL and TOTAL COSTS of the COUNTY and COUNTY

COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS	Extraordinary Expenses		Ordinary Building and Establishment Charges					
	Repayment of Money borrowed, Interest, &c	New Buildings, Additions, and Alterations.	Ordinary Repairs.	Rent, Rates, Taxes.	Fuel and Light.	Furniture, Bedding &c	Printing, Stationery, Books	Removal of Prisoners.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Antrim and Carrickfergus Town	–	–	528 4 2	1 2 7	217 16 0½	116 1 8½	113 4 4	976 17 18
Armagh,	186 0 8	–	122 5 6	3 15 0	126 10 2	58 0 1	16 16 8	24 14 8
Carlow	–	–	156 5 1	–	88 6 6	16 2 0	25 7 11	81 7 16
Cavan	–	–	114 16 13	–	76 18 5	34 5 11	23 17 6	42 2 0
Clare,	–	–	26 1o 8	–	121 16 8	26 9 6	14 8 8	162 17 6
Cork County,	–	–	355 11 7	–	176 8 16	97 16 2	22 18 5	74 12 11
„ City,	–	–	62 12 8	38 10 8	125 6 7	62 8 4	36 11 16	47 2 3
Donegal,	–	–	253 17 2	1 10 1	107 19 13	32 8 6	23 2 7	120 5 11
Down	–	–	68 15 2	6 7 6	137 15 9	52 2 6	18 6 6	7 7 3
Dreghcda Town,	–	–	1 10 7	–	18 19 3½	2 0 5	5 14 8	3 16 6
Dublin County,	–	–	166 16 8	0 18 6	292 16 5	61 7 4	32 2 7	131 8 9
Dublin City								
Richmond	–	–	288 11 4	73 10 6	386 6 2	52 5 3	47 16 16	165 6 6
Grangegorman	–	–	104 6 6	–	225 2 8	28 14 4	35 0 11	47 8 6
Fermanagh	–	–	16 16 8	–	52 16 6	6 5 0	7 12 6	31 4 6
Galway County,	–	–	396 7 1	–	167 8 8	56 16 6	34 14 2	40 14 6
„ Town *	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kerry	–	–	83 6 2	42 12 4	136 3 5	36 16 9	7 1 5	131 2 3
Kildare,	–	18 10 6	55 18 8	6 7 6	217 14 7½	25 12 8	73 8 5	35 16 11½
Kilkenny County,	–	–	36 12 4	–	84 18 8	3 12 2	22 11 2	95 12 2
„ City,	–	–	16 17 2	6 1 6	45 5 6	1 17 6	12 8 8	2 8 1
King's	–	–	50 16 4	–	138 11 2	32 11 2	8 15 2	138 2 8
Leitrim,	–	–	20 10 6	–	43 1 6½	27 6 3	13 6 11	37 6 2
Limerick County,	517 12 6	–	176 2 4	–	265 3 5	20 2 7	15 11 2	178 17 3
„ City,	–	66 6 0	20 2 8	–	61 9 7	–	6 15 7	16 1 6
Londonderry,	–	–	176 1 2	8 15 3	202 15 8	68 6 3	46 14 16	148 1 1
Longford,	–	–	69 7 1	0 7 16	184 6 2½	48 15 9	50 6 3	180 6 3
Louth,	–	–	52 5 5	–	163 11 6	4 19 8	46 13 11	86 2 10
Mayo,	–	–	41 4 16	–	28 8 5	13 12 6	18 18 5	22 4 6
Meath,	–	–	165 4 6	–	116 3 5	61 4 11	46 6 16	38 10 16
Monaghan	–	–	30 16 16	–	57 18 0½	17 6 7½	12 18 6½	6 1 2
Queen's,	–	–	85 12 2	–	155 18 11	67 17 6	17 2 4	80 16 8
Roscommon,	–	–	21 2 4	–	117 16 4	7 3 2	15 10 8	54 18 6
Sligo,	–	–	53 17 7	1 12 11	44 2 6	42 3 8	17 5 2	86 4 5
Tipperary, North Riding,	–	18 17 8	26 11 4	2 8 4	153 16 6	13 12 5	25 16 6	131 3 6
„ South Riding	–	–	154 16 2	–	264 7 1	76 11 1	53 1 0	186 2 8
Tyrone,	–	–	51 7 2	–	159 14 6	64 3 7½	14 6 8	214 1 16
Waterford County,	–	–	118 7 1	0 2 4	112 3 8	17 15 6	16 6 8	18 4 3
„ City,	–	–	53 2 6	6 6 4	112 6 6	17 15 3	13 6 6	1 13 11
Westmeath,	–	–	68 8 8½	3 18 3	47 18 11	45 3 6	18 15 1	92 15 4
Wexford,	–	–	32 4 1	–	128 6 5½	41 15 3	25 9 3	161 12 2
Wicklow,	–	–	65 12 1	–	32 4 6	41 11 1	21 16 6	25 2 0
Total,	697 12 6	85 7 6	4,044 8 1½	175 8 3	5,493 4 8	1,672 1 1½	1,037 0 11½	3,554 18 5½
	£792 19 5		£18,582 4 10½					

* Expenses included in County Return.

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of CITY and of TOWN GAOLS, and of the OFFICERS and PRISONERS, in the year 1871

Other Establishment Charges	Officers. Salaries and Fees.	Officers. Clothing and Allowances.	Officers. Pensions	Prisoners. Diet and Medicine. Diet	Prisoners. Diet and Medicine. Sick Allowances, Medicines.	Prisoners. Clothing Washing, &c. Clothing, Washing, Cooking	Prisoners. Clothing Washing, &c. Earnings or other Payments on Discharge	Total Costs	County and County of City and of Town Gaols
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
43 16 2	1,302 18 0	154 3 2	134 0 0	1 873 0 6	21 2 0	526 1 1	3 3 5	5,462 12 0	Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
24 7 5	338 0 0	28 0 3	–	399 3 0	51 14 10	36 0 0	8 12 3	2,010 6 0	Armagh
0 0 1	934 8 0	117 0 11	163 1 11	110 9 8	5 0 4	43 3 4	–	1,323 18 4	Carlow
62 1 0	720 0 0	141 19 8	47 12 0	101 8 5	22 16 10	83 2 0	0 16 0	1,552 10 2	Cavan
85 2 6	841 10 0	82 17 7	–	210 17 3	7 0 2	22 8 4	–	1,052 3 2	Clare
70 15 0	1,462 2 7	205 0 0	–	815 13 0	17 10 5	30 8 1	–	4,072 15 9	Cork County
40 13 10	1,178 14 4	147 15 10	–	782 8 3	25 6 11	133 4 0	4 0 0	2,712 12 5	,, City
29 16 0	875 10 5	53 14 0	20 0 0	241 19 5	4 8 10	27 0 0	10 4 0	1,811 9 10	Donegal
31 4 1	923 5 0	92 12 0	–	346 17 10	4 0 10	10 11 11	3 0 0	1,740 14 11	Down
5 15 8	242 10 0	74 15 0	–	59 14 5½	0 0 2	11 2 11	–	435 9 4	Drogheda Town.
82 10 2	1,278 4 11	237 8 0½	60 12 4	606 12 2½	32 1 5	60 15 0	3 1 0	3,011 16 0	Dublin County
									Dublin City
222 9 6	2,091 5 0	134 6 0	650 11 1	1,389 7 10	2,8 10 0	205 17 7	0 11 10	7,322 6 11	Richmond
93 13 11	1 570 14 9	361 10 7	656 10 2	732 10 0	231 15 6	86 9 1	–	4 340 11 10	Grangegorman
12 5 4	658 12 4	75 19 1	31 12 0	128 10 0	10 3 2	30 13 7	0 10 1	1,963 0 1	Fermanagh.
40 0 0	1,632 3 8	98 15 1	66 0 8	323 0 5	91 15 11	107 0 4	–	2 441 12 0	Galway County
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	,, Town
33 10 4	1,008 0 0	164 9 4	50 15 5	244 14 0½	20 17 8½	64 12 0	–	5 626 10 11	Kerry
41 12 11	947 0 7	287 11 6½	60 10 10	548 12 10½	15 0 0	34 0 0	0 10 3	2,421 14 8	Kildare
11 4 5	640 0 0	72 14 0	70 5 8	89 2 5	73 1 11	26 12 0	–	1 228 4 0	Kilkenny County
0 1 7	315 18 4	36 13 7	58 5 8	31 0 2	36 15 3	0 12 10	–	480 7 11	,, City
51 2 0	725 0 0	140 9 0	24 13 4	170 0 0	23 12 1	60 0 11	0 4 0	1 656 8 4	King's.
40 12 8	734 0 4	78 0 5	60 5 1½	60 7 0½	24 10 2½	14 15 8	1 0 0	1 264 14 0	Leitrim
74 17 0	1,196 10 0	40 0 0	55 5 0	426 11 1	75 1 10	74 7 0	11 10 1	3,143 15 9	Limerick County
47 7 0	683 6 10	20 0 0	152 3 4	247 5 11	19 12 0	12 13 1	–	1,385 0 2	,, City
–	979 9 2	117 1 5	42 5 0	422 0 0	22 0 4	40 12 4	23 10 0	2,269 0 2	Londonderry
16 5 3½	750 12 10	121 10 5	91 0 2	174 14 5½	21 15 4	30 12 7½	–	1,676 10 2	Longford
57 0 2	832 17 0	143 3 0	57 15 4	230 7 5	3 15 4	45 10 10	–	1,494 17 0	Louth
12 3 0	914 7 2	165 5 2	–	275 0 10	7 3 5	30 6 5	1 0 7	1,601 7 1	Mayo.
92 9 10	807 15 0	211 16 0	127 0 0	155 2 11	65 10 4	24 0 4	0 14 0	2 125 10 11	Meath.
1 7 4	893 10 2	24 15 0	0 5 1	550 15 0	7 7 0½	12 14 5½	–	1,187 14 8½	Monaghan
20 10 0	681 15 0	50 0 0	–	191 4 10	10 4 5	20 14 2	0 1 0	1,400 0 10	Queen's.
–	708 12 0	40 0 0	7 10 0	208 12 0	32 5 4	44 4 10	–	1,394 7 2	Roscommon
27 0 10	742 0 0	170 11 0	160 12 10	181 0 10	0 2 5	35 10 0	0 0 5	1 507 12 2	Sligo.
–	920 0 8	200 12 0	–	276 13 0	2 8 2	105 9 11	0 7 0	1 520 1 1	Tipperary, North Riding.
180 10 2	1,264 0 0	186 10 10	–	388 0 11	74 0 11	60 11 0	–	2 956 17 0	,, South Riding
67 11 11	851 0 2	43 12 0½	76 1 0	575 11 10	13 16 9	55 0 0	2 5 0	1,083 12 7	Tyrone
11 10 11	735 0 0	115 0 10	–	155 0 5	16 11 0	97 10 3	1 13 5	1,384 0 11	Waterford County
0 10 11	347 10 0	87 12 10	–	209 7 3	25 10 5	27 10 3	0 12 0	881 4 0	,, City
3 0 10	501 13 5	104 4 0	–	278 5 7	16 17 10½	49 12 7	1 3 3	1,670 4 10	Westmeath.
60 11 7	830 5 0	170 8 10½	20 0 0	304 17 1½	10 0 4½	70 5 0	3 3 7	1 966 14 0	Wexford
32 12 2	710 10 0	90 7 0	170 0 0	200 2 3	10 16 3	60 2 1	10 0 0	1,576 7 7	Wicklow
1,840 11 8½	37,140 18 2	5 001 17 10½	3,167 10 3½	14 557 14 0½	1,840 6 7½	2,334 16 2	106 1 11	68,472 12 5½	Total.
		£45,310 13 4		16,147 2 0		2,033 12 1			
				£18,755 14 0					

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GAOLS.—TABLE 8.—ESTABLISHMENT and TOTAL ORDINARY COSTS of the COUNTY and COUNTY

COUNTY AND COUNTY OF CITY AND OF TOWN GAOLS	Total Number of Officers		Establishment of Officers															
			Local Inspectors	Governors Deputy Governors and Keepers	Chaplains			Medical Officers	Clerks and Schoolmasters		School mistresses	Upper Warders, Matrons		Under Warders		Other Sub Officers,	
					Irish Church.	Roman Catholic	Presbyterian											
	M	W	M	M	M	M	M.	M	M	W	W.	M.	W	M	W	M	W.
Antrim including Carrickfergus Town,	24	7	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	-		4	1	10	2	2	4
Armagh,	14	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-		1	1	6	1		1
Carlow,	10	3	1	1	1	1		1	-			1	1	4	1	-	1
Cavan,	11	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		-	1	a2	3	-		1
Clare	11	3	1	1	1	1		1	b1			2	1	4			2
Cork County,	20	5	1	2	1	1		1	1			3	1	2	3	1	1
,, City,	17	5	1	2	1	1		1	1		1	2	2	6	1	-	1
Donegal,	14	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2			1	1	4	1	1	1
Down,	14	3	1	2	1	1	1	1				1	1	6	1		1
Drogheda Town,	6	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	-	-	-	1	2	-		-
Dublin County,	17	2	1	2	1	1	1	1		-		2	2	8			1
Dublin City																	
Richmond,	48	18	1	3	1	1	1	2	4			6	-	16	-	2	
Grangegorman,				1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1		7	-	7	6	3
Fermanagh,	13	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1				1	5		-	1
Galway County	13	3	1	1	1	1	-	1	1			1	1	3	1		1
,, Town,																	
Kerry,	13	4	1	1	1	1	-	3	1		1	1		7	1	2	2
Kildare,	15	3	1	1	1	1	-	1	2	-		1	1	7	2	-	-
Kilkenny County,	13	2	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	-		1	1	6	1	-	
,, City,																	
King's	13	2	1	2	1	1	-	1		-	-	1	1	6	1	1	
Leitrim,	13	2	1	1	1	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	1	6			1
Limerick County,	17	3	1	1	1	1	-	2	1			1	1	8		1	2
,, City,	11	2	1	1	1	1	-	1				1	1	5	1		
Londonderry,	15	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	2				2	4		2	1
Longford,	14	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1			6	1				1
Louth,	13	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			1	1	5	1	-	
Mayo,	15	4	1	2	1	1	-	2	2	-		1	1	8	-	-	3
Meath	14	3	1	3	1	1	-	1				6	1	2	1	-	-
Monaghan,	13	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	1	4	-	1	
Queen's,	13	3	1	2	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	2	3		3	
Roscommon,	12	2	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1		1	6			
Sligo,	12	2	1	1	1	1		1	1	-			1	5		-	1
Tipperary, North Riding,	13	3	1	1	1	1	-	2				1	1	6	2	-	
,, South Riding,	17	5	1	1	1	1		1	1			1	1	10	2		2
Tyrone	16	3	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	-			3	5	-	1	-
Waterford County,	14	4	1	2	1	1	-	1	1		1		1	6		1	2
,, City,																	
Westmeath,	15	3	1	3	1	1		2	c1			1	2	6	-	-	1
Wexford,	15	3	1	2	1	1		1	1	-			1	6	2	2	-
Wicklow,	11	2	1	1	1	1		1	-	-		2	1	4	1		
Total,	567	126	37	56	36	33	14	48	38	1	7	54	50	212	36	22	35
	693				83				39			104		248		57	

a Acts also as Upper Warder b Acts also as Storekeeper c Acts also as Deputy Governor

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of CITY or of TOWN GAOLS, with AVERAGE CHARGE per PRISONER, for the Year 1871.

Total Ordinary Costs of the Prison.					Average Annual Ordinary Charge per Prisoner.					County and County of City and of Town Gaols.
Buildings, Repairs, Furniture, &c.	Officers' Salaries, Allowances, Pensions.	Prisoners' Diet, &c.	Prisoners' Clothing, &c.	Total.	Buildings, Repairs Furniture, &c.	Officers' Salaries Allowances, Pensions	Prisoners' Diet &c.	Prisoners' Clothing &c	Total.	
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1,093 16 10	2,071 1 2	1,694 10 6	225 4 6	5,489 13 0	5 8 1	9 0 7	8 11 4	1 5 0	21 6 0	Antrim and Carrickfergus Town
673 4 6	998 0 9	486 16 7	30 13 3	1,189 6 0	3 15 8	16 3 9	8 1 6	1 18 7	30 0 1	Armagh.
350 2 2	614 10 10	115 16 6	43 3 4	1,523 16 4	20 11 10½	47 10 0½	8 10 0½	2 10 0½	77 17 5	Carlow
359 17 1	900 5 6	165 0 3	64 2 2	1,532 16 3	10 14 0½	27 11 1	5 12 2½	2 10 11	46 8 6	Cavan.
380 11 2	925 17 9	224 6 6	25 6 4	1,562 3 2	12 17 6	30 17 6	7 9 7	0 10 11	52 1 6	Clare
1,403 17 6	1,731 6 1	835 4 2	68 6 1	4,072 15 6	9 13 0	11 17 2	5 14 1	0 15 7	27 17 11	Cork County
440 19 1	1,336 14 2	807 15 2	127 4 0	2,712 12 6	3 3 5	9 11 6	5 19 5	0 19 10	19 11 6	,, City
578 3 1	949 14 2	246 8 1	67 4 6	1,611 0 10	13 15 0	20 12 5	7 10 6	1 4 6	85 6 6	Donegal
355 10 10	1,091 17 3	350 16 6	19 19 11	1,746 14 11	6 0 7	17 5 4	5 10 11	0 0 6	22 12 7	Down
38 15 6½	317 6 0	98 3 8½	11 5 11	455 9 4	3 4 6	28 0 6	8 12 7	0 10 6	38 5 6	Drogheda Town
872 1 6	1,582 4 6½	687 13 7½	39 17 4	3,011 16 6	0 10 2	20 0 6	6 19 1	0 17 6	30 7 6	Dublin County
										Dublin City
1,175 6 7	6,706 6 4	2,006 4 7	312 6 6	7 222 5 11	4 14 5	15 2 5	6 5 1	1 5 1	29 6 1	Richmond.
695 2 1	2,581 17 6	1,034 6 2	96 2 1	4,549 14 10	6 0 7	20 3 6	8 4 1	0 15 3	34 6 6	Grangegorman.
125 10 2	733 6 1	130 16 2	91 6 6	1,083 0 1	3 7 2	52 14 6	5 19 4	1 6 6	44 16 1	Formanagh.
581 6 6	1,228 6 6	415 6 7	167 0 4	2,441 12 6	11 16 12	21 14 5	7 8 6	1 17 6	42 16 6	Galway County
										Galway Town
461 1 6	1,229 4 3	271 11 6	64 12 6	2,020 10 11	6 1 0	21 11 3	4 15 6	1 3 6	35 11 6	Kerry
591 10 9½	1,504 16 6½	591 17 6½	25 6 11	2 403 4 6	6 6 7½	16 14 6½	7 4 6½	0 6 6½	30 6 11	Kildare.
250 7 4	760 0 4	163 4 4	20 12 6	1,328 4 6	14 4 10	43 16 6	9 6 3	1 3 11	68 4 6	Kilkenny County
87 14 1	413 18 7	70 1 6	6 16 10	580 7 11	10 19 2	51 14 10	8 15 2	1 1 6	72 10 11	,, City
449 12 6	893 2 4	139 0 1	26 13 5	1,508 8 4	17 12 6	35 16 5½	7 19 2½	2 6 6½	69 16 6½	King's.
246 17 6½	685 14 10½	113 5 11	15 15 9	1,304 14 6	16 6 1	56 2 6	7 15 6	1 1 0	64 6 1	Leitrim.
746 14 3	1,201 11 6	691 12 11	66 5 7	2 426 3 6	12 0 10½	20 16 7½	6 1 10	1 7 10	42 7 2	Limerick County
175 16 7	870 16 11	246 19 7	12 13 1	1,328 0 2	3 16 1	19 6 6	5 18 7	0 6 7	30 15 6	,, City
642 16 10	1,136 16 6	444 14 4	66 2 4	2,169 8 2	11 6 7½	20 7 6	7 16 5½	1 6 6	41 5 6½	Londonderry
475 6 6½	972 16 5	198 6 7½	30 13 7½	1,676 16 2	17 12 2	36 0 3	7 6 6½	1 2 6½	62 1 1	Longford
556 17 10	893 16 7	284 2 6	45 16 10	1 494 17 6	16 19 7	20 16 6	7 6 4	1 5 7	46 13 11	Louth
144 19 1	1,082 19 11	232 15 6	31 6 10	1,591 7 1	2 12 6	19 15 6	5 2 11	0 16 6	28 6 5	Mayo.
533 7 10	1,328 19 6	250 13 3	24 14 10	2,125 10 11	19 0 11	47 0 6	8 10 2	0 17 6	75 16 6	Meath
126 14 6½	777 10 3	267 6 2½	13 14 5½	1 187 14 2½	3 6 7	21 6 6	7 4 6	0 7 5	32 2 6	Monaghan
425 6 6	740 15 6	297 6 3	20 10 3	1,483 6 10	10 15 0	27 6 6	7 15 6	1 2 6	51 19 4	Queen's
207 2 6	682 2 6	240 17 10	44 4 10	1,594 7 2	6 10 5	61 11 2	6 16 4	1 12 6	81 12 7	Roscommon
272 16 10	1,070 4 4	188 6 3	26 6 6	1,557 12 9	9 14 10	36 16 11	6 15 4	0 16 6	55 16 6	Sligo
381 3 10	1,134 0 6	282 1 11	105 17 5	1,989 3 7	6 16 7	30 7 1	7 1 6	2 12 10	46 6 6	Tipperary, North Riding
323 1 6	1,511 2 6	462 1 10	60 11 6	2,856 17 6	10 3 6	21 11 6	6 12 6	0 17 4	42 4 6	,, South Riding
581 5 5½	1,072 14 6½	269 7 7	60 6 6	1,983 12 7	15 7 9½	25 16 6½	6 17 9½	1 6 6½	47 4 7	Tyrone
282 15 2	650 6 10	181 15 2	28 12 6	1,354 6 11	11 14 2	24 0 5	7 5 6	1 3 6	54 3 7	Waterford County
214 6 6	465 3 10	232 17 6	26 13 6	891 4 6	5 7 3	16 6 7	5 16 5	0 14 4	28 6 7	,, City
269 4 7½	359 17 11	298 6 5½	50 18 10	1,570 4 10	7 3 10	26 2 1	8 0 2	1 7 6	42 13 7	Westmeath
520 18 2½	1,048 14 6½	338 6 6½	76 13 7	1,986 14 5	10 4 3	20 10 1	6 7 11	1 8 10	38 11 3	Wexford
269 6 1	907 6 11	290 18 6	78 2 1	1 570 7 7	7 17 10½	23 17 6½	7 13 1½	2 1 1½	41 9 7½	Wicklow
16,582 4 10½	45 810 12 4	16,147 2 6	2,230 12 1	82,870 12 11½	6 2 10	19 17 1	7 1 6	1 3 2	33 4 7	Total

a If the extraordinary charges were added this would be £30 11s 6½d

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BRIDEWELLS.—TABLE 1.—NUMBER and DISPOSAL of PRISONERS confined in the several BRIDEWELLS in the Year 1871, from Returns made by BRIDEWELL KEEPERS

BRIDEWELLS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES	Total confined in Bridewell in course of Year	Number in Bridewell at commencement of the Year	RECEIVED: Under direct Committals by Magistrates	RECEIVED: To await Trial at Petty Sessions	RECEIVED: To await Trial at Quarter Sessions	RECEIVED: On way from other Bridewells to County Prisons	DISCHARGED: On Completion of Sentence	DISCHARGED: On Bail (when only admitted to Bail after having Committed)	DISCHARGED: On Payment of Fine	DISCHARGED: After Trial as not Guilty	DISCHARGED: In Other Way	REMOVED: To County Prison	REMOVED: To Lunatic Asylums	REMOVED: To Petty Sessions for Trial	REMOVED: Elsewhere	Total Discharged, Removed, or Died	Remaining in Bridewell at end of Year
	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W
LEINSTER.																	
CARLOW, *																	
KILDARE, *																	
KILKENNY:																	
Callan	48 12		29 12	1			32 9	2	4 1	1		1 2				48 12	
Thomastown,	44 6		38 6	6			33 5	8				1 1		2		44 6	
Urlingford,	21 2		21 2				7		3	3 1	3	6 1				21 2	
Total,	105 20		88 20	7			74 14	7	6 1	6 3	3	8 4		2		109 20	
KING'S COUNTY:																	
Parsonstown,	84 43		39 20	30 23	6		36 16	3	3 1	6 2		22 16		9 5		32 47	2 2
LONGFORD.*																	
LOUTH:																	
Ardee,	177 15	1	109 14	24 1	2		25 7	5	2		37	10 1		1		137 14	1
MEATH:																	
Kells	63 15	1	43 6	16 7	4 1		25 5	7 1		3 1		27 5	1	83 4	2 3	53 16	
Navan,	211 17		177 14	32 2	2 1		134 9	5 1	10 2	9 1		26 3				211 17	
Total,	274 32	1	220 20	48 9	6 2		157 14	12 2	10 2	12 2		47 8	1	93 4	2 3	274 32	
QUEEN'S COUNTY:																	
Abbeyleix,	12 2		5	2 1	2 1					1		10 2	1		2	12 2	
Borris-in-Ossory,	7 3		5 2		2 1					2 1		2 2				7 3	
Stradbally,	12 1		6		5 1		6			3		3 1				12 1	
Total	31 6		11 2	3 1	11 2		6			6 1		15 5	1		2	31 6	
WESTMEATH:																	
Mullingar	73 11		6 1	45 9	22 2		8 1	32 4		1		28 2		13 4		73 11	
WEXFORD:																	
Enniscorthy,	44 14	1	2 2	33 11	7		2 2	12 1		9 1		31 10		1		44 14	
Gorey	49 10		13 3	27 6	9 1		9 1	7		12 2		14 6		1		49 10	3
New Ross,	56 31	1	23 15	15 12	5 4		11 3	7 1		17 4		28 23			9	80 91	
Total,	149 55	1	38 20	77 29	15 5		19 6	21 2		38 7		73 39		1	3	143 55	3
WICKLOW:																	
Baltinglass,	49 3		21 1	19 2			17 2	2	3 1	12 1		9 2	3 1			40 3	
Tinahely,	16 0		3 1	13 4			3	1		1	2	9 2	3 1			16 6	1 1
Total,	65 9		24 2	32 7			19 2	3	3 1	14	2	18 4	3 1			55 9	1 1
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	998 131	2 2	530 99	278 73	85 12		340 67	71 8	28 3	88 13	8	199 78	8 1	92 14	14 3	900 187	8 4
MUNSTER.																	
CLARE:																	
Ennistimon	77 17		62 15	15 2			21 13	8 1	11	5 1		22 2				77 17	
Killaloe,	82 14		52 11	26 3			22	42 5	1	9 1		7 4			1	81 13	1 1
Kilrush	80 12	2	53 7	23 2	3		21 4	8 1	10	11 1		33 9	1			80 10	
Sixmilebridge,	3 3			7 3				1 1		2 2		4 1				7 3	
Tulla,	49 4		35 4	9			4 1	12 1	1	4		20 2				49 4	
Total,	286 54	2	201 37	80 17	3		78 18	71 12	23	31		81 17	1		1	284 53	1 1
CORK:																	
Bandon	100 45		92 60	3	4	0 51	12 51	14 1	0	1		99 36			1	169 46	
Bantry	69 14	1	67 10	7	3	1 1	3 36	3 7	1	0 1	1	10 0	2 1		2	67 14	2
Charleville,	37 19	1	24 9	12 4			17 3	7	1	2 1	1	7 7				35 12	2 1
Clonakilty	44 5		33 0	11 2			18 1	7	1			12 4	1			44 5	
Dunmanway,	59 8		37 3	5 1		17 4	7	7	1	3 2		26 0			3 2	87 07	4
Fermoy	271 57	2	180 46	70 10	13 2	1 1	127 22	12 3	21 3	0 4	0 2	79 26	2		3	49 12	2
Kanturk,	48 12	4 2	34 8	4	6 1		18 2	6	2	1 2		12 6				70 10	1
Kinsale,	73 15	1	48 13	27			14	4	17	3		17	1		2	92 10	
Macroom,	92 10		10 2	33 9	7		16 3	3	1	17 4		25 3			20	105 23	2
Mallow	108 23		72 17	27 5	5 1	1	40 8	4	0 0	13 0		20 7	4 2		1	46 9	
Midleton	47 8		10	20 2	0		3	11	0	1	1	18 6			1	49 21	
Mitchelstown	59 21		38 13	9			41 13	0 1	0 1	4 2		27 4	2		31 2	172 40	1
Queenstown,	173 46	1	12 5	160 34			7 5	2 1	0 2	12 0	13	63 29	4 1		7	48 10	
Skibbereen,	48 10		29 6	13 2			15 3	2		7	3	17 2	2 0			100 19	
Youghal,	150 19		124 9	23 10			75 2	0 1	45	7	0	22 0					
Total,	1,449 308	10 2	927 191	455 37	40 9	81 20	499 100	93 7	110 10	90 23	20 3	542 137	19 0		71 3	1,453 397	16 1
CORK CITY,	[1316 1,079 a		6	2 1310	1077		101	330	7 1	71 41	780	220		9 1	4 2	200 444	1,814 1,079	

* No Bridewell in the County.

a These figures are estimated for seven months from the return of 1869, as the Bridewell became a Police Lock up in August and no return for the previous part of the year was obtained from the Bridewell Keeper.

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BRIDEWELLS—TABLE 1.—NUMBER and DISPOSAL of PRISONERS confined in the several BRIDEWELLS in the Year 1871, from Returns, &c.—*continued*

BRIDEWELLS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES	Total confined in Bridewell in course of Year	Number in Bridewell at commencement of the Year	RECEIVED: Under direct Com mitments by Magistrates.	To await Trial at Petty Sessions	To await Trial at Quarter Sessions	On way from other Bridewells in County Prisons.	DISCHARGED: On Completion of Sentence	On Bail (those only who have Refused to enter into Recognizances being Committed)	On Payment of Fine	After Trial as not Guilty	In Other Way	REMOVED: To County Prisons.	To Lunatic Asylums.	To Petty Sessions for Trial.	Elsewhere.	Total Discharged, Removed, or Ended.	Remaining in Bridewell at end of Year
MUNSTER—*con.*	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.	M. W.
KERRY																	
Cahirciveen,	66 13		52 13	4 2			60 6	6 1	15 1			15 6				95 16	1
Castleisland,	48 3		46 3														
Dingle,	32 2	2 2	27 7	3 1			53 6	12 2	2	18 5		17 3			1	46 8	
Kenmare,	48 16	2 2	45 14	1 2			15 6	4 1	1	2		1 1				22 8	
Killarney,	146 33		84 29	26 6	11 1	10 7	27 6	14	7	11 2		21 7	1		1	49 16	
Listowel,	310 29	2	265 29	41 6	2 1		240 16	24	287 2	13 1		75 28	1 1		2 2	122 36	2
Milltown,	47 15		21 2	3		13 6	6 1	1				32 5			1	60 29	2
Tarbert,	16 1		10 1				13	2	1			30 13			1	46 15	1
Total,	1,046 166	6	611 63	78 17	13 2	32 19	289 45	65 6	324 3	46 10	1 1	198 57	6 2		6	1 634 158	6
LIMERICK																	
Bruff,	116 14	38 3	80 9				26 5	6	7			65 9		28		117 14	1
Rathkeale,	61 11		10 4	27 4	4	14 2	9 1	2	2		3	17 6	1	27 4	1	60 11	1
Total,	179 25	38 3	90 13	27 4	4	14 6	47 6	11	16		3	82 15	1	55 4	1	177 26	2
TIPPERARY, N.R.																	
Borrisokane,	5 4		1	4 4			1										
Newport,	27 3		13 1	24 3			8	13 1	4	1 1	1	1 2	2 1			5 4	
Roscrea,	30 10		30	30 8			51 2	11	2	2		7 4	1 1		2	37 3	
Templemore,	121 20	1	55 8	34 4		27 7	53 8	12	2	2	21 4	37 7	1			78 16	2
Thurles,	134 24	2	55 17	23 6	23 1		49 7	6	2	3 2		49 6			4 1	126 26	1
Total,	377 61	3	203 26	113 24	23 1	27 7	162 19	42	3 21	3 10	7 21	4 93 21	4 2		6 1	366 60	11 1
TIPPERARY, S.R.																	
Cahir,	82 14	2	74 11	2 1			59 15	6	4	7 1		2 1				82 14	
Carrick-on Suir,	147 28		102 17	45 11			55 7	2	20	14 2		42 14			2	143 26	2 2
Cashel,	164 18	5 2	78 6	33 1	45 3		50 6		19		41 6	45 6			3 1	144 16	
Clogheen	102 6		62 5	26 4			76 5	1	4	15 6						101 9	
Tipperary,	166 45	5	87 34	73 27	4 2		74 29	30	8 2	13 15		28 13			7 1	185 66	1
Total,	661 134	5 7	403 73	180 44	52 10		224 59	38	7 55	2 53	91 41	5 117 55			14 2	656 132	3 2
WATERFORD																	
Dungarvan,	168 43	1 1	93 34	21 16	13 2	7 1	24 24	4	12	8 2		37 17				107 49	1
Lismore,	56 7	1	41 4	2	6 3		37 4	4	9	2	3	5 3			14 6	60 7	
Total,	168 56	2 1	116 28	23 16	13 6	7 1	61 28	8	21	6 2	3	42 20			14 6	167 56	1
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	5,473 1,847	66 18	2,783 471	2208 1296	158 27	161 44	1722 311	951 39	633 56	1,641 333	65 14	1,167 303	23 14	82 4	402 465	5 479 1,242	40 6
ULSTER.																	
ANTRIM																	
Antrim,	47 13		17 7	23 7	5 1		15 7	12	1			6 1		10 7		44 15	2
Ballymena,	265 51		168 36	38 12	2 3		80 25	11 6	6 2	7 12	3 4	1 6 5	1	2		265 51	
Ballymoney,	69 30		36 21	29 6	3 1	2	24 20	2 1	11 1	1 1		5 1		20 7		63 29	2
Total,	381 94		221 64	90 27	10 5	2	119 56	25 4	18 3	8 13	1	12 8	1	32 7		372 95	4
ARMAGH																	
Ballybot,	96 32	1	47 16	43 13	7 1		7 3	8	13		33 14	22 13	2 1			66 31	1
Lurgan,	251 83		193 57	51 27	7 5		24 10	11 2	48 11	21 2		142 67			4 2	264 88	
Markethill,	36 7	1	16 3		12 4		13 2	1	1	7 2	6 1	1 1	1		1 1	27 7	3
Newtownhamilton,	88 21	1 1	87 20				10 4	16 2	21	20 3		4 4				63 16	6 6
Total,	467 146	3 1	343 96	94 40	27 6		54 19	36 4	83 11	48 12	41 15	183 79	3 1		6 3	459 144	8 4
CAVAN																	
Bailieborough,	27 7		12 2	12 3	3 2		1 1	4	2	1 2		12 4				27 7	
Ballyconnell,	1 1			1 1						1	1					1 1	
Coote Hill,	24 11		21 13	3 1			12 2	4 1	3	2		2 1				24 11	
Total,	52 19		33 15	16 4	3 2		13 3	8 1	5	4 2	1	14 5				52 19	
DONEGAL																	
Buncrana,	37 6		36 3	16 2	1 1		19 3	2	2			14 2	1			37 6	
Donegal,	52 11		24 3	22 6	12		16 6	13	4 2	6 6		7			1	55 11	6
Glenties,	21 1		21 1				2	4	2			1			1	28 1	1
Letterkenny,	76 12		54 7	22 5	14		38 6	2	4	1	16 5	14				69 12	1
Total,	186 30		135 14	54 16	27 1		77 18	21	14 3	6 3	16 5	36 2	1	1	1	175 30	10

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BRIDEWELLS.—TABLE 1.—NUMBER and DISPOSAL of PRISONERS confined in the several BRIDEWELLS in the Year 1871, from Returns, &c.—*concluded.*

BRIDEWELLS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES.	Total confined in Bridewell in course of Year		Number in Bridewell 1st January, transferred from Year		Received								Discharged										Removed								Total Discharged, Removed, or Retired		Remaining in Bridewell end of Year	
					Under direct Commitments by Magistrates		To await Trial at Petty Sessions.		To await Trial at Quarter Sessions.		On way from other Bridewells or County Prisons.		On Completion of Sentence		On Bail (those only who were Released on Bail after being Committed)		On Payment of Fine.		After Trial or not Guilty		In Other Way		To County Prison		To Lunatic Asylum.		To Petty Sessions for Trial		Elsewhere.						
	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.
ULSTER—*con.*																																		
DOWN:																																		
Newry	247	128	3	1	172	113	67	23	8	5	2		30	13	13	1	28	6	3		2		197	89	1	2			84	28	247	129		
Newtownards,	87	11	1		11	2	73	8					10	2	1		10		14	3	28	3	23	4			1		1		67	11		
Total,	334	143	4	1	183	115	139	31	8	5	2		40	15	14	1	28	6	18	3	27	3	180	33	3	2	1		85	28	334	149		
FERMANAGH—																																		
Newtownbutler,	21	2			2		2	1	17	1			4	1					8	1			12								21	2		
LONDONDERRY—																																		
Coleraine,	78	23			31	26	13	5		1	20	4	30	23	4		1		7		2	1	23	5					14	6	78	32		
Magherafelt,	76	28			20	26	21		10				29	28	7		8		6	2			13								76	28		
Newtownlimavady,	14	7			4	2	8	2	1	2			2	1	4	2			8	1			3	2							14	7		
Total,	168	89			71	54	42	7	20	4	20	4	61	52	15	2	4		12	2	2	1	48	7					25	6	168	69		
MONAGHAN—																																		
Carrickmacross,	20	22			17	12	12	8					1	14	10	4	1	3	2	2			6	6							22	22		
Castleblayney,	118	14			88	10	10	1	8	2	2	2	21	20	4	10		6		1			60	10					5		114	14	1	
Clones,	28	22			20	14	7	3			2	2	8	11	4	1	3	1		1			5	6						2	23	22		
Total,	167	88			129	37	29	11	8	2	4	4	31	28	18	2	14	4	4	1	1		70	24					5	2	159	58	1	
TYRONE—																																		
Cloghar,	47	13	2		15	6	11	6	2		13	2	17	7	3				7		6	2	14	3		1			1		46	13	1	
Dungannon,	147	50	2		107	24	28	10	4	6	0	10	66	23	17	1	16	1	6	2	4		14	31	1	1			1		146	60	1	
Total,	194	73	4		136	30	39	25	6	6	13	12	105	30	20	1	16	1	13	2	9	2	28	34	1	2			1		192	73	2	
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	1,084	644	11	2	1,216	424	590	182	124	28	84	24	521	223	159	15	273	32	132	26	104	28	542	204	8	6	11	7	130	46	1,280	546	24	4
CONNAUGHT																																		
GALWAY																																		
Ballinasloe,	68	34			75	39	8	2	2				22	4	3	1	17	6	2	2	1		40	21					2	1	65	34		
Clifden,	46	6			29	2	17	4					6	2	2		2		3				21	2							43	8	1	
Eyrecourt	12	2			6	2	6						7	1									3								12	2		
Gort	37	14	2		7	2	18	6			10	4	5	2	2		1						10	2	1	2			17	6	67	14		
Loughrea,	144	48	3	1	117	36	15	3	3	4	2	7	103	26	7	3	4		6	0			20	12	1				1	1	144	46		
Oughterard,	67	12	3	1	37	9	21				17	3	8	1	5		4		1		1		52	12					4		87	12		
Portumna,	82	11			37	10	32	1						5					1				8	6					2	1	111	11		
Tuam,	146	55			86	42	55	16	3				38	10	19	9	2	1	38	11			46	21	3	4			1		141	66	4	2
Woodford *																																		
Total,	598	196	8	2	676	136	192	40	8	4	33	13	123	56	40	13	30	6	54	16	2	2	201	38	6	7			33	11	653	123	6	2
LEITRIM—																																		
Ballinamore,	83	1			80	1	2						24		3		1		2				17	1	1		1		16		82	1	1	
Manorhamilton,	37	9			39	8	16		2				17	3	1	2	4						14	1							82	8	3	
Total,	119	10			89	10	19		2				41	3	7	2	5		2				31	2	1		1		16		164	10	4	
MAYO—																																		
Ballina,	87	22	1		77	18	6	2	3	2			19	4	13		5		7		0	3	25	18					11		88	22	2	
Ballinrobe,	26	7			24	8			1	1			2		7	2			3				1	2							33	7		
Belmullet,	10	4			12	4							2							1	7	1	1	2							10	4		
Swinford,	67	18		1	10	1	54	8	13				10	1	20	4	2		17	2	3	2	33	1					1	1	87	10		
Westport,	35	10			27	5	2	4	2	1			10	1	4	2			2				18	7					1		35	10		
Total,	284	83	1	1	148	34	76	14	23	4			47	6	42	8	7		29	3	10	6	85	29					13	1	242	53	2	
ROSCOMMON—																																		
Athlone,	38	8			30	6											2		6	1			19	4							26	6		
Boyle,	43	10			30	8	7	4					12	3	6						7	2	16	4							41	12	2	
Castlerea	64	16	1		45	8	7	3					4	2	4		23	2	2	1	21	1	9	10					2		55	18		
Strokestown,	47	14			24	8	17	3	6				8	2	7	3			2				23	4					8	2	47	14		
Total,	192	48	1		142	27	31	10	6				24	10	17	3	25	2	14	2	28	3	65	22					10	2	183	46	2	
SLIGO—																																		
Ballymote,	36	13	1		7	2	18	4	4	3	0	4	8	2	3	2			5				17	6					2	4	33	16		
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	1,143	318	11	3	788	206	363	79	51	11	32	17	313	80	110	26	87	10	104	21	48	11	288	130	6	7	1		80	18	1,128	313	15	2
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	10,175	2,213	26	22	5,317	1262	3378	1502	588	85	284	25	2905	971	691	82	389	106	1,303	288	337	61	2,247	771	30	26	126	26	826	222	8,090	2,207	85	16

* Bridewell closed since January, 1871, by order of Lord Lieutenant.

† Not including the 254 men and 85 women who were sent on to other bridewells on way to county prisons.

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BRIDEWELLS.—TABLE 2.—CAPACITY and STATE of BRIDEWELLS and FUNDS CHARGED with the EXPENSES of the several BRIDEWELLS in the Year 1871, from Returns made by Local Inspectors and Bridewell Keepers.

BRIDEWELLS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES.	Capacity and State of Bridewell.						I.—Total Cost Incurred.				II.—Sources from which Expenses are Defrayed		
	Number of Cells in the Bridewell.	Number of Prisoners the Bridewell is Constructed to Contain	Greatest Number of Prisoners at one time in Custody.		Total Number of Days spent by all the Prisoners in the Bridewell during the year		Officers' Salaries, Clothing Allowances, and other Expenses.	Building and Establishment Charges.	Prisoners Diet, Sick Allowances, Medicines, Clothing, Washing, Cooking, &c.	Total Expenses.	From Local Rates.	From Bridewell Receipts.	Charged to General Taxes or Government Departments.
LEINSTER	M	W	M.	W	M	W	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
CARLOW,*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
KILDARE,*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
KILKENNY:													
Callan	3	1	6	4	4	2	22 8 7	–	2 2 10	24 11 5	24 11 0	–	–
Thomastown,	6	10	6	10	7	3	32 0 0	–	5 7 6	37 7 6	37 7 6	–	–
Urlingford,	4	–	2	2	2	–	21 0 0	–	1 0 11	22 0 11	22 0 11	–	–
Total,	13	11	13	16	6	4	75 8 7	–	4 18 0	84 4 10	84 4 10	–	–
KING'S COUNTY:													
Parsonstown,	3	0	12	12	0	2	7	58 0 0	75 4 11½	11 14 0½	137 0 7½	137 0 7½	–	–
LONGFORD,*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LOUTH:													
Ardee,	4	2	12	0	11	–	245	57 14 0	38 7 0	–	97 1 0	96 7 0	0 14 0	–
MEATH:													
Kells,	8	8	8	4	5	1	177	46 18 0	18 4 5	2 15 2½	34 7 7½	34 0 7½	–	–
Navan,	8	8	24	24	6	1	423	46 18 0	18 1 0	6 2 4	71 0 10	71 0 10	–	–
Total,	16	16	32	32	11	2	600	93 0 0	31 5 11	11 4 6½	135 10 6½	135 10 5½	–	–
QUEEN'S COUNTY:														
Abbeyleix,	3	1	6	2	3	–	2	20 16 0	6 0 0	0 1 10	33 18 0	26 18 0	–	–
Borris in Ossory,	3	1	6	5	3	–	12	25 0 0	6 0 0	0 2 10	31 2 10	31 2 10	–	–
Stradbally,	4	1	2	2	2	–	12	12 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	–	–
Total,	10	3	12	7	8	–	26	57 16 0	12 0 0	0 19 0	76 7 4	76 7 4	–	–
WESTMEATH:														
Mullingar,	6	1	10	3	7	2	431	51 13 0	2 10 7	5 7 0	59 17 7	59 17 7	–	–
WEXFORD:														
Enniscorthy,	6	6	24	3	8	–	170	35 0 0	3 0 5	10 7 4	48 10 9	48 10 9	–	–
Gorey,	3	2	7	2	3	–	133	35 0 0	1 10 10	0 0 0	46 10 6	46 10 6	–	–
New Ross	6	2	10	12	4	3	273	35 0 0	3 10 4	0 10 0	53 10 0	53 10 0	–	–
Total,	15	9	41	27	13	3	614	105 0 0	15 7 7	20 4 5	148 12 3	148 12 3	–	–
WICKLOW:														
Baltinglass,	5	3	20	9	5	–	389	65 0 0	71 6 1	0 8 7	175 17 8	175 17 8	–	–
Tinahely,	2	2	0	3	3	2	104	30 0 0	7 2 11	2 15 9	39 18 8	39 18 8	–	–
Total,	7	5	20	12	8	2	493	125 0 0	78 11 0	12 5 4	215 16 4	215 16 4	–	–
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	77	59	172	121	73	10	2642	510 12 0	260 12 11½	74 5 10	854 11 3½	853 17 3½	0 14 0	–
MUNSTER.														
CLARE:														
Ennistimon,	2	2	8	8	6	1	231	26 0 0	2 13 2	0 0 5	34 13 8	34 13 5	–	–
Kilrush,	3	2	18	12	4	2	244	20 0 0	10 0 2	3 2 0	42 11 2	42 11 2	–	–
Scariffe,	2	2	6	2	4	1	228	41 0 0	4 12 6	0 13 0	52 0 3	52 0 3	–	–
Shanaglerridge,	2	2	6	2	2	2	75	20 0 0	1 1 5	1 15 6	23 16 11	23 16 11	–	–
Tulla,	3	2	6	6	4	–	144	26 0 0	2 2 6	3 12 0	31 14 6	31 14 6	–	–
Total,	12	10	44	34	12	7	862	143 0 0	20 10 0	24 3 0	186 2 0	186 2 3	–	–
CORK:														
Bandon,	4	4	12	12	3	3	285	38 18 4	10 0 1	0 3 7	60 11 2	60 11 2	–	–
Bantry,	4	2	16	8	4	1	282	33 16 0	7 11 6	3 0 6	44 13 0	44 13 0	–	–
Clarkeville,	6	8	8	6	3	1	91	23 16 6	10 16 4	1 16 10	41 13 0	41 7 10	0 5 10	–
Clonakilty,	4	2	12	6	3	1	191	33 12 6	10 2 6	2 0 3	45 11 3	45 11 3	–	–
Dunmanway,	2	2	8	8	6	1	158	28 16 5	9 15 5	1 16 5	40 12 4	40 12 4	–	–
Fermoy,	6	6	18	18	11	2	936	38 10 0	11 17 11	10 16 0	61 14 0	60 3 0	2 10 0	–
Kanturk,	4	2	12	8	4	2	120	33 16 6	6 5 7	2 14 10	44 18 11	44 18 11	–	–
Kinsale,	4	5	7	7	6	–	221	27 10 0	11 13 4	3 4 0	42 11 0	42 11 0	0 5 0	–
Macroom,	4	2	12	6	4	1	165	34 12 5	3 12 4	3 0 1	40 2 11	40 2 11	–	–
Mallow,	4	6	12	6	6	2	347	35 10 0	12 8 4	17 6 2	66 15 0	66 14 0	2 1 0	–
Midleton,	4	2	12	6	7	–	195	33 10 0	6 0 1	3 15 0	43 3 1	43 3 1	–	–
Mitchelstown,	2	1	6	5	5	1	347	28 10 0	6 13 5	0 14 1	49 12 6	49 12 6	0 14 0	–
Queenstown,	8	3	12	5	17	3	404	33 10 0	10 1 1	0 6 2	62 10 0	49 17 6	3 8 4	–
Skibbereen,	3	2	6	6	5	–	141	33 12 6	6 0 2	2 0 2	46 7 5	46 7 5	–	–
Youghal,	4	2	12	6	6	–	287	28 16 0	5 10 0	0 12 10	64 3 0	63 19 3	0 2 9	–
Total,	60	58	176	111	84	19	4 109	497 18 0	178 1 4	61 8 1	757 5 5	747 19 0	9 5 0	–
CORK CITY,	[915	10	37	43	23	23	4,795]	233 16 0	154 0 0	14 10 0	402 15 0	402 15 0	–	–

* No Bridewells in the County

a Figures showing capacity and state of bridewell estimated, *vide* note a p. 186, *supra*

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BRIDEWELLS.—TABLE 2.—CAPACITY and STATE of BRIDEWELLS and FUNDS CHARGED with the EXPENSES of the several BRIDEWELLS in the Year 1871, from Returns made by LOCAL INSPECTORS and BRIDEWELL KEEPERS—*continued*.

BRIDEWELLS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES	CAPACITY AND STATE OF BRIDEWELL.						I.—TOTAL COST INCURRED.				II.—SOURCES FROM WHICH EXPENSES ARE DEFRAYED		
	Number of Cells in the Bridewell		Number of Prisoners the Bridewell is Constructed to Contain		Greatest Number of Prisoners at one time in Custody.		Total Number of Days spent by all the Prisoners in the Bridewell during the year	Officers Salaries Clothing, Allowances, and other Expenses	Building and Establishment Charges.	Prisoners Diet Sick Allowance, Medicines, Clothing Washing Cooking &c.	Total Expenses.	From Local Rates.	From Bridewell Receipts.	Charged to General Taxes or Government Departments.
MUNSTER—*continued*	M	W	M	W	M	W		£ s d	£ s d.	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
KERRY														
Cahirciveen,	3	3	3	2	0	2	220	10 0 0	0 12 5	5 13 5	24 5 10	24 5 10	–	–
Castleisland,	4	2	10	4	2	–	106	10 0 0	11 4 1	2 15 7	23 19 8	23 19 5	–	–
Dingle,	3	2	5	3	3	–	52	10 0 0	0 8 5	1 19 10	20 7 3	20 7 2	–	–
Kenmare,	2	3	6	0	6	1	142	10 0 0	10 0 0	3 5 0	23 12 4	23 12 4	–	–
Killarney,	4	2	4	0	7	2	502	20 0 0	27 8 5	6 14 3	54 2 8	54 2 8	–	–
Listowel,	3	3	8	0	24	3	657	20 0 0	12 1 7	15 7 2	47 8 10	61 8 10	–	–
Milltown,	2	3	0	0	6	–	91	10 0 0	10 10 6	2 13 8	23 3 2	22 2 2	–	–
Tarbert,	4	2	12	0	2	–	29	10 0 0	0 0 4	0 0 1	10 0 5	10 0 5	–	–
Total,	27	21	52	33	55	8	1,662	100 0 0	82 12 5	41 16 0	240 0 2	240 0 2	–	–
LIMERICK														
Bruff,	2	2	4	4	0	–	248	20 0 0	36 0 4	6 0 5½	74 17 5½	74 17 0½	–	–
Rathkeale,	4	2	12	4	4	–	249	35 0 0	37 15 9½	6 0 9	77 16 6½	77 16 6½	–	–
Total,	8	4	16	8	12	–	597	65 0 0	73 5 1½	11 9 2½	152 14 4	152 14 4	–	–
TIPPERARY N.R.														
Borrisokane,	2	2	2	2	1	1	78	41 7 0	1 10 0	0 5 7	52 0 1	52 2 1	–	–
Newport,	4	2	12	9	4	–	116	41 7 2	1 1s 0	7 16 10	49 18 4	48 13 4	–	–
Roscrea,	5	0	10	10	4	–	215	41 7 0	–	22 11 0	63 18 0	60 18 0	–	–
Templemore,	3	1	10	3	5	–	321	41 7 0	1 17 3	23 12 7	66 17 4	60 17 4	–	–
Thurles,	12	12	38	30	10	1	344	61 7 2	–	31 4 3	92 11 0	92 11 0	–	–
Total,	27	25	77	80	24	2	1,052	225 17 2	5 2 2	93 0 3	325 0 0	325 0 0	–	–
TIPPERARY, S.R.														
Cahir,	5	3	15	2	3	1	188	44 16 0	40 15 0	3 6 2	88 13 2	88 13 2	–	–
Carrick-on-Suir,	5	0	8	4	0	1	472	44 16 0	44 0 0	8 14 2	97 10 3	97 10 3	–	–
Cashel	11	4	26	15	19	0	402	54 13 0	72 14 1	9 12 3	137 3 4	137 3 4	–	–
Clogheen,	2	2	0	0	5	2	210	44 16 0	55 5 0	4 0 11	104 7 11	104 7 11	–	–
Tipperary,	3	0	24	24	11	4	739	64 16 0	75 10 0	17 5 0	156 17 0	156 17 0	–	–
Total,	32	10	91	85	44	13	2 025	254 0 0	288 15 7	43 4 3	587 0 10	587 0 10	–	–
WATERFORD														
Dungarvan,	18	–	38	15	5	–	303	71 14 7	22 14 2	439 7 10	130 16 7	131 0 1	2 16 6	–
Lismore,	3	2	6	4	4	0	93	41 14 7	8 18 3	1 0 3	49 14 1	48 14 1	–	–
Total,	21	9	44	20	9	2	396	113 9 2	30 7 5	45 14 1	180 10 8	180 14 2	2 16 6	–
TOTAL OF PROVINCE,	206	141	531	374	286	76	16,312	1,085 17 8	662 12 6½	358 16 1½	2,630 7 4	2,637 5 2	12 2 2	–
ULSTER.														
ANTRIM														
Antrim,	4	3	13	0	3	2	277	22 14 6	6 0 0	0 5 11	47 0 5	47 0 5	–	–
Ballymena,	2	3	0	0	7	2	269	45 0 3	11 0 0	15 18 8	72 11 3	72 11 3	0 15 0	–
Ballymoney,	4	2	4	4	4	2	276	24 0 0	16 0 0	8 2 1	52 16 1	53 16 1	–	–
Total,	11	8	25	22	13	7	822	112 10 9	28 0 0	31 6 3	172 17 5	173 2 3	0 15 0	–
ARMAGH														
Ballybot,	2	0	0	0	7	1	285	25 0 0	12 0 0	5 0 3	43 10 0	43 10 0	–	–
Lurgan,	5	2	6	6	10	2	248	20 0 0	25 11 10	6 14 10	85 6 8	63 6 8	–	–
Markethill,	4	4	0	0	5	2	50	20 0 0	13 6 2	6 5 1	85 16 3	35 13 5	–	–
Newtownhamilton,	2	2	15	16	9	2	200	20 0 0	16 14 4	6 0 8	42 4 0	42 4 0	–	–
Total,	12	10	41	32	27	8	919	85 0 0	67 14 10	22 15 1	185 18 11	185 18 11	–	–
CAVAN														
Ballieborough,	3	2	3	2	3	1	64	30 0 0	7 15 0	7 19 0	45 14 0	45 14 0	–	–
Ballyconnell,	2	1	4	1	1	1	8	30 0 0	5 0 0	7 19 5½	42 19 5½	42 19 5½	–	–
Cootehill,	2	1	8	4	3	2	42	30 0 0	–	8 11 0	38 11 0	38 11 0	–	–
Total,	7	4	15	7	7	4	110	90 0 0	12 15 0	24 9 5½	127 4 5½	127 4 5½	–	–
DONEGAL														
Buncrana,	3	1	0	2	5	–	90	30 14 2	7 0 11	2 5 1	40 4 0	40 4 3	–	–
Donegal,	5	2	0	2	8	–	221	87 15 3	0 17 10	4 16 1½	93 18 2½	93 18 2½	–	–
Glenties,	2	1	0	0	3	–	34	28 14 5	5 16 0	0 13 2	47 3 7	47 3 1	–	–
Letterkenny,	0	2	16	0	0	–	235	29 14 3	0,19 0	6 0 10½	55 2 0½	55 2 0½	–	–
Total,	10	6	31	13	26	–	614	177 2 0	21 2 10	13 3 0	221 0 1	221 6 1	–	–

a Including £22 15s for conveyance of Prisoners.

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BRIDEWELLS.—TABLE 2.—CAPACITY and STATE of BRIDEWELLS and FUNDS CHARGED with the EXPENSES of the several BRIDEWELLS in the Year 1871, from Returns made by Local Inspectors and Bridewell Keepers—*concluded*.

BRIDEWELLS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES AND PROVINCES.	Capacity and State of Bridewell.						I.—Total Cost Incurred.				II.—Sources from which Expenses are Defrayed.		
	Number of Cells in the Bridewell.		Number of Prisoners the Bridewell is Constructed to Contain		Greatest Number of Prisoners at one time in Custody		Total Number of Days spent by all the Prisoners in the Bridewell during the year	Officers Salaries, Clothing, Allowances, and other Expenses.	Building and Establishment Charges.	Prisoners Diet, Sick Allowance Medicines, Clothing, Washing Cooking, &c.	Total Expenses.	From Local Rates.	From Bridewell Receipts.	Charged to General Taxes or Government Departments.
ULSTER—*continued.*	M	W	M	W	M	W		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Down:														
Newry,	7	7	10	17	13	3	1,070	60 4 9	55 10 2	14 7 0	130 7 11	127 2 11	3 5 0	–
Newtownards,	4	4	12	12	0	–	240	45 1 0	11 16 11½	3 14 10½	60 12 10	59 14 10	0 18 0	–
Total,	11	11	21	29	13	3	1,310	105 5 9	67 12 1½	18 2 7½	221 0 0	216 17 0	4 3 0	–
Fermanagh:														
Newtownbutler,	3	2	3	2	7		20	28 9 5	–	3 7 10	30 17 2	30 17 5	–	–
Londonderry:														
Coleraine,	7	7	20	20	6	4	297	25 0 0	13 12 9½	4 1 10½	42 14 4	42 14 4	–	–
Magherafelt	3	2	10	4	14		270	25 0 0	30 1 4	5 3 1½	60 4 5½	60 4 5½	–	–
Newtownlimavady,	3	2	12	8	2	0	77	25 0 0	13 1 2	1 0 3	39 7 5	39 7 5	–	–
Total,	13	11	42	32	22	7	567	75 0 0	62 14 11½	10 11 2	148 6 2½	148 6 2½	–	–
Monaghan:														
Carrickmacross,	4	1	4	5		4	135	40 0 0	12 16 0	1 19 2	54 10 11	54 10 11	–	–
Castleblayney,	4	3	2	2	5		130	40 0 0	10 8 11	3 7 10	53 11 9	53 11 9	–	–
Clones,	4	3	10	10	1	3	107	30 0 0	11 17 2	1 14 10	53 12 0	53 12 0	–	–
Total,	12	7	16	17	6	7	428	120 0 0	40 10 4	7 1 10	160 0 2	160 0 2	–	–
Tyrone:														
Clogher,	2	2	14	14	4	1	224	80 0 0	15 15 11	98 12 11[a]	94 8 10[a]	84 8 10[a]	–	–
Dungannon,	8	–	24	13	9	1	620	105 0 0	44 11 8	531 1 5	130 12 5	126 16 5	3 15 0	–
Total,	10	2	38	28	13	2	844	185 0 0	58 7 7	30 14 0½	260 2 0½	264 7 3½	0 15 0	–
Total of Province	39	31	242	188	144	38	3,829	863 7 2	402 6 3	163 10 6½	1,540 10 4½	1,534 17 4½	5 13 0	–
CONNAUGHT														
Galway:														
Ballinasloe	3	3	12	0	6	2	203	25 18 5	6 0 0	11 2 6	41 0 11	41 0 11	–	–
Clifden,	7	1	2	12	5	–	124	32 13 0	9 10 0	9 11 11	52 13 11	52 13 11	–	–
Eyrecourt,	4	3	10	10	3	–	32	24 0 0	12 18 4	7 19 10	50 11 3	50 11 3	–	–
Gort	7	7	4	4	2	2	136	32 0 0	14 2 0	14 2 0	60 4 0	60 4 0	–	–
Loughrea,	3	3	0	3	7	3	307	0 18 0	6 6 0	17 0 6	35 14 4	35 14 4	–	–
Oughterard	2	2	0	2	4		105	32 0 10	7 12 0	8 5 9	47 18 7	47 18 7	–	–
Portumna,	7	4	6	2	4	2	61	24 12 0	26 7 0	9 14 10	60 14 4	60 14 4	–	–
Tuam,	3	4	9	12	3	3	673	24 6 0	9 7 0	20 14 9	54 9 2	54 9 2	–	–
Total,	46	27	54	55	37	14	1,719	124 12 10	107 14 7	98 1 0	403 8 5	403 8 5	–	–
Leitrim:														
Ballinamore,	3	3	8	4	3		106	45 10 4	4 13 10½	4 9 2	82 13 4½	82 13 4½	–	–
Manorhamilton,	3	1	11	5	5	2	227	42 10 4	3 3 6	3 3 2	81 19 0	81 19 0	–	–
Total,	6	4	19	9	13	2	333	87 0 8	7 17 4½	9 14 4	164 12 4½	164 12 4½	–	–
Mayo:														
Ballina,	67	–	7	–	4	2	223	15 0 0	3 0 0	12 14 0	30 14 0	30 14 0	–	–
Ballinrobe,	2	2	6	6	5	1	122	15 0 0	–	8 10 10	23 10 10	23 10 10	–	–
Belmullet,	2	2	4	4		2	62	15 0 0	–	7 17 3	22 17 3	22 17 3	–	–
Swinford,	3	3	4	0	4	2	243	15 0 0	5 10 0	16 10 11	37 0 11	37 0 11	–	–
Westport,	3	3	3	3	5	1	89	15 0 0	–	6 10 0	21 10 0	21 10 0	–	–
Total,	17	10	24	21	18	8	819	75 0 0	3 10 0	52 0 0	135 10 0	135 10 0	–	–
Roscommon:														
Athlone,	3	3	0	3	4	–	59	15 0 0	–	10 5 0	25 5 0	25 0 0	–	–
Boyle,	5	2	10	10	4	2	154	15 0 0	–	12 0 0	27 0 0	27 0 0	–	–
Castlerea,	2	2	12	8	4	1	287	15 0 0	–	15 5 11	30 5 11	30 0 11	–	–
Strokestown,	2	1	12	3	11	1	100	15 0 0	–	14 19 6	29 19 6	29 19 6	–	–
Total,	12	11	37	24	23	3	620	60 0 0	–	52 10 4	112 10 4	112 10 4	–	–
Sligo:														
Ballymote,	3	1	0	0	3	2	75	40 0 0	11 4 11	1 10 10	52 15 9	52 15 9	–	–
Total of Province,	78	53	144	113	92	31	3,565	459 13 0	196 0 10½	214 14 5	806 14 10½	806 14 10½	–	–
Total of Ireland,	450	305	1,003	738	584	168	28,113	3,699 18 10	1,051 0 9½	893 18 8½	6,141 3 10½	6,122 14 8½	18 4 2	–

[a] Including £3 1s. for transmission of prisoners. [b] Including £14 14s 1d. for transmission of prisoners. [c] Including cells for women.

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CONVICT PRISONS.—1 RETURN of the NUMBER of CONVICTS CONFINED, and of their DISPOSAL, during the Year 1871, made by the DIRECTORS of CONVICT PRISONS

—	Total.			Separate Confinement		Public Works and Invalid Establishment	Intermediate Prison—
				Mountjoy, for Men and Boys.	Mountjoy, for Women and Girls.	Spike Island,	Lusk
	M & W	M	W	M.	W	M.	M.
In Confinement at the commencement of the year,	1 232	895	333	134	333	604	67
Total received from Gaols and Borough Prisons, &c.,	242	153	89				
General Total in the year,	1,474	1,048	426				
Received at the several Convict Prisons (including removals between these Prisons)				130	93	102	93
Total of each Prison, including removals,				264	423	856	159
REMOVED TO THE COLONIES, &c., viz.—							
Western Australia,							
Bermuda,							
Gibraltar,							
REMOVALS between the several Convict Prisons,							
" to County Gaols				167		80	4
" to Schools or Reformatories,							
" to Lunatic Asylums,	3	1	2	1	2		
DISCHARGED IN THE YEAR, viz.—							
On termination of Sentence,	32	11	21		21	11	
On Tickets of Leave,	222	150	72	4	72	49	37
Ditto on Medical grounds,	1	1				1	
On Commutation of Sentence,	9	7	2	2	2	4	1
On Conviction quashed	1		1		1		
Died,	10	6	5	1	5	4	
Committed Suicide							
Escaped	1	1					1
Total disposed of during the year (deducting removals between Convict Prisons),	273	176	103	175	103	159	102
" Remaining in Custody,	1,195	872	323	119	320	697	56
" Daily Average during the year,	1229	850	333	135	333	694	61
CASES OF SICKNESS, viz.—							
Infirmary Cases,	470	296	174	73	174	213	3
Slight Indisposition	15 390	13,352	1,678	676	1,678	12,694	83
Insanity,	3	1	2	1	2		
Total Cases of Sickness,	15,863	13,649	1,854	750	1,854	12 912	32
Greatest Number of Infirmary Cases at one time,	53	34	20	9	20	23	2
PUNISHMENT FOR PRISON OFFENCES, viz —							
Whipping,	4	4				4	
Solitary or Dark Cells,	16	16				16	
Stoppage of Diet,	1 224	949	279	41	279	266	
Other Punishments,	197	136	61	34	51	30	a2
Total Punishments,	1,435	1 105	330	75	330	1,527	a2

a Removed to other Prisons.

CONVICT PRISONS.—2. TICKETS of LEAVE.

—	Number	
	M	W
TICKETS OF LEAVE, viz.—		
Number of holders of Tickets of Leave discharged during the year who reported themselves to the Royal Irish Constabulary and Police of the United Kingdom on discharge	151	16
Number discharged during the year who reported themselves on change of residence,	20	–
REVOCATION OF TICKETS OF LEAVE, viz		
Number of Tickets of Leave withdrawn for misconduct, not criminal or for non-observance of regulations for Licence Holders,	3	12
Number of Tickets of Leave revoked on re-conviction to imprisonment,	5	3
Total revocations during the year,	8	15

CONVICT PRISONS.—3. REFUGES for WOMEN and GIRLS who are CONVICTS on LICENCE

STATE OF THE REFUGES.	Total.	Golden Bridge for Roman Catholics.	Shelter, Harcourt-road, for Protestants.
In the Refuges at the commencement of the year	83	97	6
Received during the year from Mountjoy Women's Prison on orders of licence,	50	48	8
General Total in the year,	130	125	14
Removed to Mountjoy Women's Prison on revocation of licence,	11	11	
DISCHARGED IN THE YEAR, viz			
On termination of sentence	1	1	
On orders of licence to be at large,	43	42	1
Died,			
Went away without leave,	1	1	
Total disposed of during the year,	56	55	1
" Remaining in the Refuges,	63	50	13
" Daily average during the year,	61	51	10

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CONVICT PRISONS —4 —RETURN of the ESTABLISHMENTS of the different PRISONS in the Year 1871, made by the DIRECTORS of CONVICT PRISONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS	TOTAL.		SEPARATE CONFINEMENT			PUBLIC WORKS AND INVALID ESTABLISHMENT	INTERMEDIATE PRISON	REFUGES FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS WHO ARE CONVICTS ON LICENCE.	
			Mountjoy, for Men and Boys.	Mountjoy for Women and Girls		Spike Island	Lusk	Golden Bridge	Shelter, Harcourt road.
	M	W	M	M	W.	M	M	The Refuges are under Private Management.	
Governor, Deputy Governor, and Superintendents,	3	1	1		1	1	1		
Chaplains, and Assistant Chaplains,	10		0	4		4	2		
Lecturer, Schoolmasters, and Schoolmistresses,	6	3	2		3	3	1		
Medical Officers and Apothecaries,	4	—	1			2	1		
Clerks,	3	1	1	1	1	0	.		
Stewards and Manufacturer,	4	.	1	1		1	1		
Chief Warders and Chief Matrons,	2	1	1		1	1			
Foremen of Works, and Superintendent of Drainage,	.	.	.	.	.	.			
Principal Warders, and Principal Matrons,	4	2	1		2	3			
Warders, Matrons,	36	18	10		18	23	2		
Second Class Warders and Assistant Matrons,	60	11	19		11	70	0		
Cooks, Bakers, Gate-keepers, Porters, Watchmen Nurses, and Messengers,	15	3	3	7	3	3	.		
Engineers, Enginemen, Gunmen, Stokers, Artisans, Cutters,	12	.	3		—	9			
Labourers,	.	.	.				.		
Civil Guards,	.	.	.						
Total Establishments,	190	30	44	13	39	119	14		

CONVICT PRISONS —5 —RETURN showing the EXPENDITURE under each HEAD of SERVICE in the Year ended 31st March, 1871, made by the DIRECTORS of CONVICT PRISONS and, as to last five Items, by SECRETARY of the COMMISSIONERS of PUBLIC WORKS.

HEADS OF SERVICE.	Mountjoy (Males).	Mountjoy (Females).	Lusk.	Spike Island	TOTAL.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Salaries and Wages,	3,071 10 1	2,850 17 5	733 7 2	7,794 3 3	14,250 8 1
Rations for Officers, and Allowances in lieu of Rations and Quarters,	378 13 0	433 0 0	91 16 3	816 14 10	1,718 16 3
Uniforms for Officers,	186 10 3	135 7 11	70 7 3	507 0 3	317 4 3
Victualling for Convicts (including extras for the Sick),	1,403 0 4	2,681 2 3	774 14 10	5 932 3 4	10 791 18 2
Clothing for Convicts (including Clothing on liberation),	462 0 2	614 10 3	300 12 1	1,684 2 7	3,062 3 3
Bedding for Convicts,	17 0 1	120 18 9	3 0 11	139 0 4	278 2 1
Medicines, Surgical Instruments, &c.,	40 11 0	77 12 0	11 1 11	93 0 0	223 0 11
Gratuities to Convicts,	45 2 3	709 3 10	751 3 4	330 13 9	1,831 0 2
Kitchen Utensils, Crockery &c.,	3 1 0	22 12 11	0 11 0	3 0 0	34 0 7
Soap Scouring and Cleaning Articles,	93 3 3	307 3 4	11 4 3	140 14 11	500 11 5
Escort and Conveyance of Convicts (on removal and liberation),	14 15 0	32 0 3	40 0 3	40 7 0	103 12 1
Incidental Expenses,	173 14 3	160 4 1	61 3 0	160 3 2	373 17 3
Furniture and Fittings,	30 3 3	31 7 3	—	33 3 3	330 13 3
Fuel and Light,	1,129 0 11	834 3 7	81 1 2	930 3 3	2,044 4 3
Buildings and Repairs,	1,160 15 0	642 2 0	97 14 0	602 4 3	2,479 13 3
Rents, Rates, and Taxes,	60 0 3	70 0 0	104 14 3	—	304 3 3
Total,	8,799 13 3	9,736 0 10	2,969 3 10	13,687 1 3	40,262 17 3

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REFORMATORY SCHOOLS.—TABLE 1.—Showing the NUMBER of BOYS and GIRLS UNDER DETENTION, COMMITTED, DISCHARGED, and REMOVED in the Year 1871, from Returns made by the Managers.

CERTIFIED SCHOOLS to which the Commitments were made, with the Date of Certificate and Religion of Children receivable in School.	Under Detention in Course of Year: Under Detention at commencement of year	Committed during the year	Received from other Reformatories during the year	Re-admitted of those only who these had been put on Licence before 1st Jan. 1871	Total	Discharged or Removed during Year: Transferred to other Schools by order of Chief Secretary	Transferred to ult or School on appeal or Arrest or Convicting	Discharged on completion of Sentence	Discharged by order of Chief Secretary	Placed out on Licence in 1871	Died	Escaped direct from Reformatory and not re-taken	Total Discharged or Removed	Remaining at end of year	Of those Placed out on Licence in Year: Number ordered to return to Reformatory by Manager	Escaping or refusing to return	Apprehended while out on Licence	Total Costs.	Charged to: General Taxes.	Local Taxes	Other Sources.	Estimated Average Cost per Head.
Boys																		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Malone, Belfast, County Antrim, 13th March, 1860 (*Protestant*),	74	14	—	5	93	1	—	1	6	8	—	2	18	75	1	1	2	1,789 7 5	1,161 17 11	460 7 11	167 1 7	24 0 4
St. Patrick's Upton, County Cork 6th July 1860 (*Roman Catholic*)	a213	43	—	—	256	—	—	124	2	20	3	—	43	209	—	—	—	5,201 7 3½	3,238 15 10	1,680 5 0	285 5 2½	23 4 7
2 Rehoboth-place Dublin 13th November 1856 (*Protestant*),	c38	17	—	1	56	—	—	3	6	4	—	—	13	43	1	—	—	1,006 0 6	500 0 0	250 0 0	256 0 6	25 6 6
King's County Reformatory School Philipstown, 22nd December, 1870 (*Roman Catholic*),	—	164	1	—	165	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	152	—	—	—	2,362 12 7	893 18 10	512 16 6	2,233 8 6	25 0 8
St Kevin's Glencree, County Wicklow, 12th April, 1858 (*Roman Catholic*)	255	4	—	0	260	—	—	9	13	40	1	7	70	295	—	—	6	6 129 1 6	5 113 16 0	2,433 10 0	363 9 6	24 15 6
Total Boys,	661	284	[1]	13	d959	[1]	—	37	36	72	4	9	d152	773	2	1	7	10,792 8 11½	10,010 3 7	5,361 16 6	3 862 5 6½	24 11 2
Girls.																						
High Park Drumcondra, County Dublin 31st December 1856 (*Roman Catholic*),	45	12	—	—	57	1	—	7	1	—	—	—	9	48	—	—	—	1 196 11 0	666 4 0	327 14 1	172 13 4	26 1 7
103, Cork-street, Dublin, 18th April, 1859 (*Protestant*),	16	5	—	—	21	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	3	18	—	—	—	726 0 0	666 6 0	180 6 0	—	41 13 4
St. Joseph's Ballinasloe, County Galway 23rd December 1863 (*Roman Catholic*),	28	6	—	1	34	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	3	31	—	—	—	677 16 2	449 7 6	176 16 6	57 16 10	23 7 5
St Joseph's Limerick, 25th January 1858 (*Roman Catholic*),	42	10	—	—	52	3	—	5	2	2	—	—	12	40	—	—	—	810 5 1	643 9 3	153 2 8	15 12 0	23 12 3
Spark's Lake Monaghan, 20th July, 1859 (*Roman Catholic*),	42	17	4	—	63	—	—	5	1	1	1	—	9	55	—	—	—	1106 13 8	1 006 3 0	100 18 8	—	23 6 6
Total Girls,	175	47	[4]	1	d223	[4]	—	22	5	3	1	—	d31	192	—	—	—	4,513 13 5	3,393 1 4	808 15 2	246 16 11	24 2 9
Total Boys and Girls,	836	281	[5]	14	1,182	[5]	—	60	25	75	5	9	183	970	2	1	7	24 347 2 4½	14 047 4 11	6,186 14 10	4 138 2 7½	26 16 4½
Total Roman Catholics,	720	247	[5]	10	982	[4]	—	56	22	53	5	7	150	832	—	—	5	20,807 14 11½	11,735 7 6	5,390 6 11	3,722 1 6½	26 12 0
Total Protestants,	136	34	—	6	176	[1]	—	6	13	12	—	2	33	137	2	1	2	3,539 7 6	2,281 17 11	800 7 11	417 1 6	26 19 6

a The number, 211, returned in School at end of 1870, in last Volume should have included 2 boys who had returned from Licence before 31st December 1870 b Including 1 sent to Prison.
c Relieved as 37 at end of 1870 but 38 is the correct figure
d The total of boys and girls under detention and disposed of in the year differs from the aggregate of those in each school by the number transferred

REFORMATORY SCHOOLS.—TABLE 2.—Showing OCCASION of COMMITTALS and SENTENCES passed upon BOYS and GIRLS RECEIVED during Year 1871.

CERTIFIED SCHOOLS to which the Commitments were made, with the Date of Certificate, and Religion of Children received in School.	Committed on Indictment and Summarily: On Indictment, by Judges of Superior Courts, Chairmen of Quarter Sessions, or Recorder	Summarily Convicted by Divisional Justices at Petty Sessions in Police Courts, or by Justices at Petty Sessions.	Total Convicted on Indictment and Summarily.	Sentence: Previous Imprisonment: 14 Days.	1 Month and above 14 Days	2 Months and above 1	4 Months and above 2	Above 4 Months.	Reformatory Schools: 2 Years.	3 Years.	4 Years	5 Years.
Boys.												
Malone, Belfast, 13th March 1860 (*Protestant*),	2	12	14	10	4				1		2	11
St Patrick's, Upton, County Cork 6th July 1860 (*Roman Catholic*),	6	40	46	44	1				1	6	1	38
2 Rehoboth-place, Dublin 13th November 1856 (*Protestant*)	4	13	17	17					1	2	4	10
King's County School Philipstown, 22nd December 1870 (*Roman Catholic*)	25	113	154	152	21	1				5	3	146
St. Kevin's, Glencree, 12th April, 1859 (*Roman Catholic*),		4	4	3		1						4
Total Boys,	46	188	234	226	26	2	—	—	3	12	10	209
Girls.												
High Park Drumcondra, County Dublin, 31st December, 1856 (*Roman Catholic*),	3	6	12	11	1						2	10
103, Cork-street, Dublin, 12th April, 1859 (*Protestant*),	1	2	3	3								3
St. Joseph's, Ballinasloe, 23rd December, 1863 (*Roman Catholic*),	2	5	5	2	2				1	1		3
St Joseph's, Limerick, 25th January 1858 (*Roman Catholic*),	1	3	16	2	1		1			2		26
Spark's Lake, Monaghan, 20th July 1859 (*Roman Catholic*),	7	10	17	15		2			1			16
Total Girls,	12	35	47	40	4	2	1		2	3	6	40
Total Boys and Girls	58	223	281	240	30	5	1		5	15	12	249
Total Roman Catholics,	61	186	247	216	26	4	1		3	13	6	225
Total Protestants,	7	27	34	30	4	—	—		2	2	6	24

a Including 1 committed for seven years.

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REFORMATORY SCHOOLS.—TABLE 3.—OFFENCES of which the BOYS and GIRLS were CONVICTED who were RECEIVED direct from Gaols and Bridewells, under Stat. 31 & 32 Vic., c. 89, into REFORMATORY SCHOOLS during the Year **1871.**

OFFENCES	Committed during 1871.							Sentence.																	
	On Indictment.		On Summary Conviction.		Total Committed in Year			Previous Punishments.										Reformatory Schools.							
	Before Judge Chairman of Quarter Sessions, or Recorder.		At Dublin Police Courts or by Justices at Petty Sessions					14 Days.		1 Month and above 14 Days		2 Months and above 1 Month.		4 Months and above 2 Months.		Above 4 Months.		2 Years.		3 Years and above 2.		4 Years and above 3.		5 Years and above 4	
	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B & G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B.	G	B.	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G
Larceny and Petty Theft,	26	8	95	21	121	29	150	104	20	10	0	1	2			1		2	2	5	3	4	1	110	23
" of Fixtures,	1		1		2		2	2												1				1	
" by Servant	1		6	2	7	2	9	7	2													1		8	2
" from Person,	2		7		9		9	6		1												1		8	
" in Dwelling house,		2	24	1	31	3	34	25	1	2	2							1		0		1		27	3
Attempt to Steal,	1		5		6		6	6																6	
Unlawful Possession of Goods,		1	17	1	17	1	18	10		3	1	1								1		2		14	1
Receiving Stolen Goods,				1		1	1	1	1															1	1
Fraudulent Offences			1		1		1	1																1	
Embezzlement,	1				1		1	1																1	
Horse Stealing		1	2		2		2	2																2	
Sheep Stealing	1		1		2		2			2														2	
Cattle Stealing,			1		1		1	1																1	
House-breaking, Shop breaking, &c.,	4		5		9		9	8		1														9	
Burglary,	3				3		3	3														1		2	
Robbery on the Highway,																									
Attempt to Break into Houses, &c.,																									
Arson and Wilful Burning,																									
Wilful Damage and other Malicious Offences			2	1	2	1	3	2	1											1				1	1
Assault,	4	1	10	3	14	4	18	12	4	2													1	14	3
Assault with intent to Ravish,	1	1		0	1	1	2	1	1															1	1
Forgery	1				1		1	1																1	
Uttering Counterfeit Coin																									
Vagrancy,			1		1		1	1																1	
Other Offences	1		2	2	3	2	5	3	2															3	2
Total,	47	12	187	65	234	47	281	205	33	27	6	2	2			1		3	2	11	3	10	2	210	46

a Including 1 committed for 7 years.

REFORMATORY SCHOOLS.—TABLE 4.—Showing AGE, STATE of INSTRUCTION, previous COMMITMENTS, and SOCIAL CONDITION, so far as can be ascertained, of the BOYS and GIRLS received direct from Gaols and Bridewells under Stat. 31 & 32 Vic., c. 89, into Reformatory Schools during the Year **1871.**

AGES WHEN ADMITTED	State of Instruction on Admission						Previously committed to any Prison								Not previously committed.	Social Condition on Admission							
	Neither read nor write	Read, but not well; imperfectly.	Read and write well	Superior Instruction	Instruction not ascertained.	Total	Once.	Twice.	Thrice.	4 Times.	5 Times.	7 Times and above 5.	10 Times and above 7.	Above 10 Times.		Parents dead		Deserted by Parents.		Parents in Prison		Otherwise uncontrolled by Parents.		Under Parental Control	
																One only	Both	One only	Both	One only	Both	One only	Both	One only	Both
10 Years and under:																									
Boys,	10	1	1			12									12	3		1		1		2	2	2	5
Girls,	1					1									1	1								1	
11 Years and above 10																									
Boys,	18	11	0			32	2	1							29	5		2	1	1		0	13		12
Girls,	2	1				3									3										0
12 Years and above 11:																									
Boys,	16	0	11			35	4	1							30	12	1	2	1			0	7	10	10
Girls,	0					3									3	2								1	2
13 Years and above 12																									
Boys,	22	15	7			42	0	1							39	10	0	3				5	5	16	13
Girls,	2	1				3									0	2								2	1
14 Years and above 13:																									
Boys,	10	10	13			33	4	1		1					44	10	0	5	2			0	10	0	2
Girls,	3	5	1			9	1								8	5	1	1				1		1	2
15 Years and above 14:																									
Boys,	20	10	12			42	8	3							61	23	4					0	11	0	0
Girls,	7	10				17	4								10	10	5					4		1	1
Under 16 and above 15 Years																									
Boys,	0	4	11			21	4	2							15	7	5					5	7	2	2
Girls,	0	5				11	2	1							8	7	1							0	2
Total Boys,	157	61	56			234	24	9		1					290	75	22	13	4	2		33	51	41	57
" Girls,	24	23	1			47	7	1							39	27	7	1				5	1	6	11
Total Boys and Girls,	181	83	57			281	31	10		1					329	103	29	14	4	2		38	52	46	68

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INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.—TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER under DETENTION, COMMITTED, DISCHARGED, REMOVED, or TRANSFERRED in the Year 1871, with the COSTS, under Stat 31 Vic , c 25

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS, ARRANGED IN PROVINCES AND COUNTIES	Under Detention at beginning of year	Committed direct during the year	Committed after temporary detention in Workhouse (sec. 14)	Received from other Industrial Schools	Discharged during the year of those who attained 16 years of age before 1st January, 1871, and are not included in any of above columns	Total under Detention	Discharged on attaining 16 years of age (sec. 14)	Discharged by order of Chief Secretary (sec. 83)	Put out on Licence (sec. 21)	Escaped during the year from School and not retaken	Transferred to other Schools on objection of Parents, Guardians, Relations &c	Transferred to other Schools by order of Chief Secretary	Died	Total Discharged, Removed, or Transferred &c.	Total remaining at end of the year	Of those put out on Licence. Number ordered to return to School by Manager	Escapes or refusing to return	Apprenticed whilst out on Licence	Total Costs	Charged to General Taxes.	Charged to Local Taxes.	Charged to Other Sources	Average Cost per Head
BOYS.																							
LEINSTER																			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Dreghedа:																							
House of Charity (*Roman Catholic*),	31	11				42		1					1	2	40				473 14 4	473 14 4	–	–	13 8 10½
Dublin:																							
Artane (R C)	138		144	5		287		2		3		1	4	10	277	–	–	–	4,228 16 1½	2 636 4 11½	1,135 5 3	13 7 11	26 2 7½
Mouth School, Blackrock (*Protestant*),		18	3			21				2				2	19	–	–	–	350 18 4	35 3 0	35 16 0	280 12 16	26 6 10½
Total,	138	18	147	5		308		2		5		1	4	12	296				4,616 10 5½	3,116 14 5½	1,216 1 3	293 5 6	21 5 8½
King's:																							
Parsonstown (St. John's School, R.C.),	6	6		1		13		2				1		3	12				1,140 6 5½	283 7 6	21 0 8	835 12 5½	126 13 4½
TOTAL OF LEINSTER,	175	37	147	6		365		5		5		2	5	17	348				6 232 11 3	3 873 16 3½	1,240 1 0	1,116 13 2½	23 16 8
MUNSTER																							
Cork:																							
Cork (St Nicholas, *Protestant*),	22	33				55									55				1,282 8 8	578 10 3	284 19 0	422 6 5	32 21 5½
,, Boys Home (*Protestant*),	–	24	–	–		24		3					6	21	3				555 17 8	137 15 3	44 7 10	173 13 11	18 5 6
,, Greenmount (R.C.),	–	53	–	3		56							6	56	–				542 8 6	361 13 8	180 16 6	–	10 1 1½
Queenstown (St Colemen's, R.C.),	6	26	–			35		1				10	1	13	22				440 16 6	267 12 5	32 5 3	140 6 4	37 21 2
Total	31	136		6		173		7				16	1	18	155				2,821 13 6	1,345 10 6	493 8 9	783 2 8	27 17 4
Kerry:																							
Tralee (St Joseph's, R.C.),		56				56		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	56				a –	–	–	–	–
Tipperary:																							
Templemore (St Augustine's, R.C.),	6	18				27		2				5		7	20				283 5 5	233 0 0	–	55 6 5	16 13 5½
Waterford:																							
Waterford (St. Dominick's, R.C.),*	–	–	–	–		–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–				a –	–	–	–	–
TOTAL OF MUNSTER,	46	218		6		356		9				16	1	25	231				2,386 18 16	1,578 10 6	493 0 9	838 6 1	21 4 7½
ULSTER.																							
Antrim:																							
Belfast (St. Patrick's, R C),	31	12				43							1	1	42	–	–		876 14 6	514 14 6	–	362 0 0	24 8 4½
TOTAL OF ULSTER,	31	12	–	–		43							1	1	42		–		876 14 6	514 14 6	–	362 0 0	24 8 4½
CONNAUGHT																							
Galway:																							
Gort (R.C.),	–	25	–	–		25	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	25	–	–		322 6 4	–	–	322 6 4	12 17 10½
Salthill School (R.C.)	–	81	–	6		56									56				393 6 11	138 5 0	–	211 6 11	7 3 11½
TOTAL OF CONNAUGHT,	–	76		5		81	–							–	81	–			715 10 6	182 6 0	–	533 16 3	8 18 10½
TOTAL OF IRELAND (*Boys*),	246	335	147	(17)	–	3723		14		5		[17]	7	526	702				10 791 14 13	6,146 1 6½	1,733 1 9	2,252 11 6½	28 12 7

* Certified 13th April, 1871 No children received previous to 3rd December 1871

a Cost for year cannot be returned as the school was only eight months in existence at close of 1871.

b Total of boys under detention and disposed of in the year differs from the aggregate of these in each school by the number transferred

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INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.—TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER under DETENTION, COMMITTED, DISCHARGED, REMOVED, or TRANSFERRED, in the Year 1871, with the COSTS, under Stat. 31 Vic., c. 25—*continued*

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS, ARRANGED IN PROVINCES AND COUNTIES	Under Detention						Discharges, Removed, or Transferred										Of those put out on Licence			Charged to			Average Cost per Head
	Under Detention at beginning of year	Committed direct during the year	Committed after temporary detention in Workhouses (sec. 12)	Received from other Industrial Schools	Re-admitted after having been duly discharged (under Stat. 24 & 25 Vic., c. 113, sec. 14, Stat. 26 Vic., c. 10, sec. 3, and Stat. 29 Vic., c. 25, sec. 4)	Total under Detention	Discharged on attaining 16 years of age (sec. 14)	Discharged by order of Chief Secretary (sec. 23)	Put out on Licence (sec. 21)	Escaped direct (not Re-taken or not Re-taken)	Transferred to other Schools or Asylums, or Parents, Guardians, Relatives, &c.	Transferred by Gaol or Schools by order of Chief Secretary	Died	Total Discharged, Removed, or Transferred, &c.	Total remaining at end of the year	Number ordered to return to School by Manager	Escaping or refusing to return.	Apprenticed whilst out on License.	Total Costs.	General Taxes.	Local Taxes.	Other Sources	
GIRLS.																							
LEINSTER.																				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Dreghéda: House of Charity (*Roman Catholic*),	11	1				12									12				155 17 0	155 17 8	—	—	13 11 8
Dublin: Booterstown (R.C.)	32	36	0	4		84		6					1	4	80				370 5 2	340 10 0	—	32 2 2	36 9 11
Heytesbury-street (*Protestant*),	25	28				53	1	1	1				1	3	43				740 13 8	625 0 0	223 4 0	2 9 8	29 4 10
Sandymount (St. Mary's, R.C.),	60	36	0	.		102	1	64	13			23		49	53			4	1,202 11 1	782 0 0	200 0 0	22 11 0	30 24 3
Total,	128	100	12	4	.	239	2	9	10			23	2	64	155			4	2,324 15 9	1,907 18 0	423 4 0	33 13 9	28 19 10
Kildare: Ferrestown (St. John's, R.C.),	0	18	.	.	.	24									24				b —	—	—	—	—
Longford: Newtownforbes (Our Lady of Succour R.C.),	60	18		4		72	1	1						2	70				1,080 7 1½	988 0 0	—	92 7 0½	13 3 5
Westmeath: Moate (Mount Carmel, R.C.),	24	12				36		c11						11	25	.			350 1 0½	311 16 3	—	43 5 2½	24 2 10½
Wexford: New Ross (St. Aidan's, R.C.),	56	2				37	.					.		3	37	.	.		1,014 0 0	740 3 0	—	274 0 0	18 2 4
Wexford (St. Michael's, R.C.),	38	10				61		1				1	1		48				972 11 4	553 4 6	—	318 3 10	32 0 3
Total,	93	10				108		1				1	1	3	105				1,987 0 3	1,230 6 3	—	592 12 3	16 0 7
TOTAL OF LEINSTER,	316	161	12	9	.	491	3	81	10		.	24	3	70	421				6,413 2 2½	4,034 17 11	623 4 0	1,225 0 4½	17 3 6½
MUNSTER																							
Cork: Clonakilty (St. Aloysius, R.C.),	96	5				101		1	1				1	3	99	1			2,265 4 9½	1,253 1 9	944 4 2	467 19 10½	26 0 7
Cork Sunday's Well (St Finbar's, R.C.),	82	40				92		7				1	1	9	93				1,477 0 1	811 8 0	211 0 0	453 3 1	21 32 5
Cork Training House (*Protestant*),		39			35	71									71				1,092 10 8½	455 4 3	37 3 3	520 3 2½	27 4 0½
Kinsale (Our Lady of Mercy, R.C.)	102	7				109	1	3					1	5	104				1,610 0 3	1,205 17 3	49 0 0	356 3 0	24 2 4½
Monkstown, Glenbrook (*Protestant*) *																			—	—	—	—	—
Passage West, Glanmire (*Protestant*)	13	22				35						30		35					830 14 7	30 0 0	37 3 9	222 5 1	13 31 9½
Queenstown (St Coleman's, R.C.),	12	11				23									23				319 17 6	131 16 10	33 5 0	204 12 2	22 16 1½
Total,	278	124	—	65	.	431	1	11	1			36	3	52	379	1			7,809 11 4	4,077 10 1	903 12 4	2,828 9 11	22 1 0
Kerry: Killarney (St. Joseph's Home, R.C.),	40	4			.	44		5	1			10	—	10	25		—	.	783 7 10	479 1 0	97 14 7	206 11 03	21 2 8
Tralee (Pembroke Alms House, R.C.),	70	5			.	75		0	1				1	5	70		—	.	995 0 10	397 0 0	—	98 0 10	14 4 5
Total,	110	9				119		5	2			10	1	24	95	.			1,778 17 9	1,876 1 4	97 14 7	305 1 9	17 7 0
Limerick: Limerick (St. George's, R.C.),	40	.		1		41									41				600 0 0	456 0 0	200 0 0	—	17 0 0
" (St. Vincent's, R.C.),	78	4				27	.	2					1	3	74				1,043 2 0	830 2 0	50 0 0	70 0 0	13 0 0½
Total,	118	4		1	.	118		2					1	3	115			.	1,643 2 0	1,323 2 0	250 0 0	70 0 0	17 3 4½
Tipperary: Cashel (St. Thomas's, R.C.),	80	35	10	16	—	121		1						1	120		—	.	3 759 13 0	1,166 4 0	—	2,592 8 8	42 15 5
Templemore (St. Augustine's R.C.),	12	10	—	—	—	28		1		.			—	1	27		—		332 7 0	260 0 0	—	92 7 0	10 10 7
Thurles (St. Louis's, R.C.),	35	0	1		—	41		1					—	1	40		—		624 13 3	503 1 0	—	121 12 3	26 20 3½
Total,	127	60	11	13		190		3						3	187				4,763 13 3	1,949 5 3	—	2,776 12 8	32 0 3

* Certified 4th November, 1870. No children received previous to 31st December, 1871.

a Including 2 sent to Reformatory.

b Included in the Return for boys.

c Including 6 only committed for one year.

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INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.—TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER under DETENTION, COMMITTED, DISCHARGED, REMOVED, or TRANSFERRED in the year 1871, with the COSTS, under Stat 31 Vic., c 35—*concluded.*

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS, ARRANGED IN PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Under Detention					Total under Detention	Discharged, Removed, or Transferred									Total remaining at end of the year	Of those out on Licence.			Total Costs.	Charged to			Average Cost per Head.
	Under Detention at beginning of year	Committed direct during the year	Committed after Summary Conviction, Vict. 31, Workhouses (sec. 21)	Received from other Industrial Schools	[Note: Schoolmasters having the care of those only who have been committed by Justices, and not those who have been transferred from other Schools.]		Discharged on attaining 16 years of age (sec. 14)	Discharged by order of Chief Secretary (sec. 33)	Put out on Licence (sec. 21)	Escaped from Free School and not retaken	Ran away from Schools &c.	Transferred to other Schools by order of Chief Secretary	Died.	Total Discharged, Removed, or Transferred &c.		Number ordered to return to School by Minister	Escaping or refusing to return	Apprehended whilst out on Licence.		General Taxes.	Local Taxes.	Other Sources.	
GIRLS—*continued.*																								
MUNSTER—*continued.*																				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Waterford: Waterford (St. Dominick's, R.C.),		35				35			—							35				2,917 12 5	138 15 0	—	2,778 2 2	80 7 2½
TOTAL OF MUNSTER,	605	239	11	40		893	1	24	3			49	8	82	211	1				16,943 2 1	8,364 3 11	1,211 6 11	8,369 5 3	26 4 1½
ULSTER—																								
Antrim: Belfast (St. Patrick's, R.C.),	17	4	—	—		21		a1						1	20	—	—			903 0 2	214 4 0	—	688 15 2	30 9 10½
Cavan: Cavan (St. Joseph's, R.C.),	70	0				84	1	2	1					4	80					1,835 0 6½	1 002 13 0	—	832 11 3½	23 10 7
Monaghan: Monaghan (St. Martha's R.C.),	60	4		3		67		1	1				1	3	64					1,007 11 0	800 0 0	171 12 0	36 19 0	17 4 4½
Tyrone: Strabane (St Catherine's, R.C.),	35	7				42		1						1	41					3 238 8 0	402 8 0	—	2,836 0 0	82 2 2
TOTAL OF ULSTER,	182	30		3		214	1	5	2				1	9	205					6,983 4 4½	2 016 5 5	171 12 0	3,911 7 1½	28 14 5½
CONNAUGHT—																								
Galway: Galway (St. Anne's, R.C.),	71	33				104		1					1	2	102					1,040 17 10	1,036 12 0	—	267 5 1	15 16 0½
Gort School (R.C.)		3		1		4							—		4					b—	—	—	—	—
Loughrea (St Bridget's, R.C.),	73	32				107							—		107					2 177 10 5	1,264 15 0	—	973 2 11	15 0 0
Total,	144	68		1		215		1					1	2	213					3 218 17 3	2 286 9 0	—	1,236 8 1	26 3 2
Mayo: Westport (St. Columba's, R.C.),		41	—	—		41			1					1	40					1,690 5 0	104 11 2	—	1,490 10 3	42 5 2
Roscommon: Roscommon (St Monica's, R.C.),	62	22				84		23				1		24	60					847 6 10	447 16 9	—	99 10 1	15 4 1
Sligo: Sligo (St Lawrence, R.C.),		13		14		27		3				1		3	24					870 7 11	70 14 0	—	359 13 11	15 13 0
TOTAL OF CONNAUGHT,	178	154		15		347		26		1		3	1	30	317					6,132 16 1	2,007 16 0	—	2,125 5 4	25 3 8
TOTAL OF IRELAND (*Girls*),	1,281	590	33	[73]	—	c1 870	5	76	24	1		[75]	10	c110	1,784	1	.			37,400 4 6½	13,873 3 10	1,920 2 11	16,520 15 9½	24 6 7
TOTAL OF IRELAND—																								
Boys,	340	335	147	[17]		720		14		5		[17]	7	20	702	.	—			19,701 14 10	6,146 1 6½	1,709 1 0	9,852 11 6½	22 11 7
Girls,	1,281	590	33	[73]		1,870	5	76	24	1		[73]	10	110	1,784	1	.			37,400 4 6½	13,873 5 10	1 960 3 11	16,520 18 0½	24 6 7
TOTAL BOYS AND GIRLS,	1,527	901	176	[92]		c2,820	5	90	24	6		[92]	17	c142	2,486	1	.			46,101 19 7½	25,119 5 4½	3,669 4 8	19,369 9 6½	23 1 6

a Sent to Reformatory.

b Included in Return for boys.

c The total of boys and girls under detention and disposed of in the year, differs from the aggregate of these in each school by the number transferred

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INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.—TABLE 2.—Showing AGE and SEX, GROUNDS of COMMITTAL, STATE of INSTRUCTION and SOCIAL CONDITION on Admission

AGES WHEN ADMITTED	Committed to School by Justices: For Begging (Sec 11)	Found Wandering and Houseless without guardianship or means of subsistence (Sec 11)	Destitute and without Guardianship of Parents (Sec 11)	Found frequenting the company of reputed Thieves (Sec 11)	Charged before Justices with Offence and committed therupon to School (Sec 13)	Total	State of Instruction on Admission: Neither read nor write	Read or read and write imperfectly	Read and write well	Superior Instruction	Instruction not ascertained	Previously Committed to Prison	Never previously Committed to Prison	Social Condition on Admission: Parents dead: One only	Parents dead: Both	Deserted by Parents: One only	Deserted by Parents: Both	Parents in Prison: One only	Parents in Prison: Both	Otherwise uncontrolled by parents: One only	Otherwise uncontrolled by parents: Both	Under Parental Control: One only	Under Parental Control: Both
10 Years and under																							
Boys,	83	23	185	1	3	336	214	102	13				330	213	46	32	19	4		30	20	124	90
Girls,	102	46	133	2	2	377	269	113	3				377	212	61	44	13	10		29	19	97	29
11 Years and above 10																							
Boys,	26	3	29		4	61	35	27	10	1			61	40	17	3				4	6	20	4
Girls,	25	13	42	2	2	84	67	43	5			1	82	54	10	9	2	1		4		16	7
12 Years and above 11																							
Boys,	19	9	23		2	49	11	28	10				49	25	13	3				3	9	17	4
Girls,	22	13	27	3		72	24	41	7				73	30	16	3	5	1		2	4	9	5
13 Years and above 12																							
Boys,	11	4	18			33	2	19	12				33	17	10	1				2	1	11	2
Girls,	14	2	30			46	9	32	5				46	23	3	5	6	2		1		15	1
14 Years and above 13																							
Boys,	2		2			4	1	2		1			4	1	2	1					2	1	
Girls,	6		4			10	1	5	4				10	4	1	3	1					1	2
Total Boys,	141	78	253	1	9	482	291	184	45	2			492	296	91	49	19	4		43	46	178	40
Total Girls,	169	79	336	7	4	589	312	245	31			1	589	335	109	64	32	14		37	13	133	44
Total Boys and Girls,	310	157	589	8	13	1,071	603	429	76	2		1	1,071	631	187	113	42	18		78	84	302	80

CRIMINAL LUNATICS IN ASYLUMS.—TABLE 1.—NUMBER undergoing DETENTION, COMMITTED, and DISCHARGED or REMOVED in the Year 1871, compiled from Returns made by Resident Medical Superintendents.

ASYLUMS IN WHICH DETAINED	Under Detention: Under Detention at the beginning of the year 1871	Committed: Committed direct to Asylums by Justices during the year 1871 (under 10 & 11 Vict. c. 31, s. 116, & 27 & 28 Vict. c. 54, s. 11)	Received from Gaols during the year 1871, under Lord Kimberley's Act	Received from other Asylums during the year 1871	Total under Detention during the year 1871	Discharged on becoming Sane: Discharged on certificate of two Medical Superintendents, under 10 & 11 Vict. c. 31, s. 116	By Executive Act	Removed from Gaols during the year 1871, under Lord Kimberley's Act	Removed to Workhouses	Given up their friends through Leave	Died: Otherwise than by Suicide	Died: By Suicide	Escaped	Transferred to other Asylums	Total Discharged or Removed	Total remaining under Detention on 31st December 1871	Total Costs of Criminal and Dangerous Lunatics maintained in each Asylum during the year 1871	Charged: To the County Cess	Charged: To the General Taxes through any Department of the Government	Charged: To Private Funds of Lunatics their Friends or other Sources	Cost per Head per Annum
	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	M W	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Armagh,	59 30	8 8	29		89	59	16 12			2 1	2 2				19 16	70	40	3 621 3 9	3 837 3 9	—	24 0 0	28 9 10
Ballinasloe,	163	37 48	32 3		214	119	19 7			1	15 12		1		36	178	180	5,287 2 5	5,037 3 3			21 4 9
Belfast,	72	36 54	23		132	68	44 21				2 1				49	22	86	1,919 8 3	1 619 8 0			22 7 4
Carlow,	649	23 17	8 1		67	31	9 3			1	16 1		1		19	4	52	1,277 13 3	1,277 13 3			23 10 4
Castlebar,	71	73 29	14 9		87	37	11 9	2		2	2 8	11			23	19	74	2,844 14 9	2,844 14 9			29 0 9
Clonmel, Parent, Additional,	110	33 26	12		124	62	16 4				9	4			22	9	132	4,744 14 10½	4,744 14 10½			29 5 9
Cork,	139	93 72	54 9	1	214	148	41 22	2 1		17	7 14	6	1		75	36	143	4,859 19 6	4,859 19 6			12 5 1
Down	76	34 29	21		104	63	21 19		2		4	1			27	11	77	2 054 9 0	2,054 0 0			29 9 0
Dundrum,	117	60	8 3		123	69		1 1	2		1	1		1	4	3	122	4,947 19 3	—	4 947 19 3		29 16 2
Ennis,	94	31 19	13		74	44	1 4				1	2	2		9	9	66	2,112 19 6	2,112 19 6			24 6 10
Enniscorthy,	82	36 10	12		93	40	11 5		7						12	7	59	2,759 11 2	2,759 11 2			22 7 3
Kilkenny,	94	29 16	1		73	33	3 8				7 2				13	7	53	1,931 4 10	1,756 17 2		122 7 18	18 9 9
Killarney,	269	47 16	10		85	42	10 4			1	6 5	1	1		10	9	73	1,686 8 3	1,686 3 6			22 12 2½
Letterkenny,	182	48 27	26 1	1	130	74	20 9		1		7 2				28	12	102	2,790 2 9	2,790 2 9			23 1 8
Limerick,	77	46 16	29 2	2	94	63	8 6	1 1	1	1	4 3	1	5		16	14	78	2,811 11 2	2,789 4 8		21 9 6	22 9 3
Londonderry,	24	10 22	9		40	19	9 2			1	2 3				6	3	37	1 092 19 9	1 094 19 9		2 10 0	28 12 10
Maryborough,	42	26 16	7		69	32	7 4				2 1	2	1		12	10	69	1,921 17 4	1 861 17 4			24 14 2
Monaghan,	89	60 27	22 1		107	36	11 9				2 2	9		1	19	18	68	3 194 4 2	3,092 0 10		12 3 4	21 8 2
Mullingar,	121	60 43	26 2		166	84	21 10	1 1			2	13	3		40	13	122	3,706 5 9	3 709 5 9			29 3 9
Omagh	72	37 32	17 1	1	100	54	13 9				3 3	6	1	2	27	16	73	2 932 9 9	2 849 9 9		60 9 6	18 0 7
Richmond,	267	291 114	23 16	3	387	373	58 34	2 2	1	6	19 11	4	31	27	1		116	84 272	229 17,272 13 1	17 272 16 1		30 19 9½
Sligo,	55	33 27	13	1	89	42	13 10				3		2	1	21	14	90	35 1,069 2 4	1 549 9 9		23 1o 8	17 9 9
Waterford,	12	19 9	7		27	26	7 1	1			1				10	1	47	26 904 1 0	904 1 0			21 19 0
Total,	1946	1240 712	429 43	18 [1]	[1] 2791	1753	343 197	16 3	5 1	10	17 60	22	104	102	1 2	316 3 [1]	1] 609	380 2093	1409 78,804 16 2½	75,499 3 8½	4,947 19 9	260 9 13	23 19 9

a The numbers 29 men and 13 women returned at end of 1870, did not include some transfers from Gaols
b The figures now returned are correct, though differing from the aggregate returned in the separate Asylums at end of 1870—88 men and 55 women
c The figures now returned are correct, though differing from the figures returned by late Officers, of 71 men and 47 women at the end of 1870
d The figures now returned are correct, though differing from the figures compiled by late Clerk of 38 men and 22 women at the end of 1870
e These figures are not the additions of the columns above them as transfers are necessarily excluded from total
f This average is an approximation derived by dividing the total cost by the mean of the number under detention at the beginning and end of the year

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CRIMINAL LUNATICS IN ASYLUMS.—TABLE 2.—Showing for each Asylum, I.—The Number of those under DETENTION at the end of the Year 1871, and whether for each Asylum of those COMMITTED during the Year who had been Committed for each class of Offence;

—	Total.			Armagh.		Ballinasloe		Belfast.		Carlow		Castlebar		Clonmel Farcat, and Clonmel Additional		Cork.		Down		Dundrum		Ennis.		Enniscorthy	
	M&W	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.
PART I.—AUTHORITY FOR COMMITMENT OF THOSE IN CONFINEMENT AT END OF YEAR 1871																									
Total number in confinement at end of year 1871,	3,402	2 022	1,480	70	43	178	100	86	60	52	27	74	58	102	60	143	112	77	42	122	50	66	28	60	42
Total number committed by Justices,	2,185	1,230	955	47	32	50	46	80	55	39	12	52	42	47	21	84	71	77	42	—	—	28	16	21	24
Total number held in confinement by Warrant of Lord Lieutenant	1,207	392	445	23	11	126	57	2	—	22	15	22	20	55	23	60	41	—	—	122	50	38	20	39	18
PART II.—PERIOD OF DETENTION IN ASYLUM OR GAOL OF THOSE UNDER DETENTION AT END OF YEAR 1871																									
Number who have been detained as Lunatics—																									
One year and under	950	578	372	24	24	51	35	38	14	15	5	28	15	19	13	51	32	20	21	8	2	6	6	6	9
Two years and above one,	541	309	232	0	3	56	27	23	12	8	5	12	14	15	10	17	16	42	21	8	2	9	3	12	4
Three years and above two,	411	223	188	18	4	66	26	4	10	9	7	10	13	9	4	10	13			10	3	5	5	5	3
Five years and above three,	496	314	184	2	4	26	10	3	13	13	4	20	20	7	4	10	14			18	11	17	2	37	7
Ten years and above five	439	279	160	16	5	9	8	6	14	4	6			8	8	28	21			23	8	15	7	3	6
Fifteen years and above ten,	243	142	101	1	1	3	2	10	4	5	2			7	10	8	12			16	6	6	7	2	6
Twenty years and above fifteen,	260	118	32	1	1	2	1	2	2	1				4	3	5	1			5	6	7	3	3	4
Above twenty years,	90	61	29	1	1									3	2	4	1			26	12	3		1	
Total in confinement at end of year 1871,	3,402	2,022	1,480	70	43	178	100	86	60	52	27	74	58	102	60	143	112	77	42	122	50	66	28	60	42
PART III.—OFFENCES OF LUNATICS COMMITTED TO ASYLUMS DURING YEAR 1871.																									
Murder of Infants aged one year and under,	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Other Murders,	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Attempts to Murder, Maim Stabbing &c.,	38	24	15	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	8	0	1	—	1	3	—	—
Concealing Birth,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Manslaughter,	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
Rape,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assault with intent to Ravish,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unnatural Offences,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Treasonable and Seditious Offences,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assaults	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Indecent Exposure of the Person,	312	188	124	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	7	20	14	—	—	2	1	12	4	2	—	7	3	—	—
Burglary and Housebreaking,	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Robbery on the Highway, &c.,	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle, Sheep or Horse Stealing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Larceny and Petty Thefts,	5	4	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
Frauds and Embezzlements,	28	16	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Receiving Stolen Goods,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Arson and Malicious Burning	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wilful Damage and other Malicious Offences,	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Perjury,	20	13	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Uttering or having in possession Counterfeit Coin,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Riot and Breach of the Peace,	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Under the Vagrant Laws	126	76	54	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	74	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dangerous Persons at Large,	325	192	134	—	—	43	32	54	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	13	—	—	2	0	10	12
Insane wandering about without control	38	20	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deserters from the Army or Navy,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
For want of Sureties,	6	5	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Attempts at Suicide,	41	28	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
Threatening Language,	6	6	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drunkenness	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Felony not classed	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Offences not classed,	303	177	126	36	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total committed during year,	1,372	756	516	20	28	51	32	58	63	16	8	20	14	25	12	93	58	28	21	1	0	10	13	10	13
PART IV.—AUTHORITY UNDER WHICH LUNATICS COMMITTED TO ASYLUMS DURING YEAR 1871.																									
Transmitted from Gaols by Lord Lieutenant's Warrant—																									
Became Insane after Committal and before Trial,	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Found or declared Insane,	16	11	4	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
Acquitted as Insane,	7	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	2	—	—	—	—
Became Insane while undergoing Sentence of Imprisonment	33	21	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—
Committed to Asylums by Justices as Dangerous, under Stat 10 & 31 Vic., c. 118, s. 10	1,212	714	498	30	25	48	32	54	53	16	8	23	14	25	12	76	54	28	21	—	—	10	13	10	13
Total committed during year,	1,273	756	516	30	28	51	32	54	53	16	8	26	14	25	12	80	55	28	21	0	0	10	13	10	13

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Committed by Lord Lieutenant's Warrant or by Justices; II.—The Number for each PERIOD of DETENTION as a Lunatic, whether in Asylum or Gaol; III.—The Number and IV.—The Number COMMITTED during the Year under each class of authority authorized to commit.

Kilkenny		Killarney		Letterkenny		Limerick.		London derry		Mary borough		Monaghan		Mullingar		Omagh		Richmond.		Sligo.		Waterford		
M.	W.	M.	W	M	W	M.	W	M.	W	M.	W	M.	W	M	W	M.	W	M.	W	M	W	M.	W	
																								PART I.—AUTHORITY FOR COMMITMENT OF THOSE IN CONFINEMENT AT END OF YEAR 1871
60	23	75	53	162	82	76	54	27	12	46	23	83	66	123	72	79	35	272	289	59	33	17	25	Total number in confinement at end of year 1871.
30	5	75	53	64	32	33	20	22	10	21	10	66	53	67	45	51	30	249	272	34	23	6	10	Total number committed by Justices
30	18	—	—	98	20	43	34	5	2	25	13	28	13	66	27	28	5	23	17	25	12	11	2	Total number held in confinement by Warrant of Lord Lieutenant
																								PART II.—PERIOD OF DETENTION IN ASYLUM OR GAOL OF THOSE UNDER DETENTION AT END OF YEAR 1871.
11	1	29	20	25	13	14	12	10	6	10	5	27	23	35	21	21	11	77	25	16	6	6	7	Number who have been detained as Lunatics—
7	1	13	23	13	5	12	3	5	3	4	1	24	13	18	17	13	6	47	42	18	10	1	4	One year and under
6	2	6	2	12	12	5	8	3		1	2	14	10	11	12	10	6	28	32	4	3		6	Two years and above one.
11	2	27	6	13	8	15	7	1	2	7	2	18	7	18	4	8	7	44	47	4	3	3	1	Three years and above two
6	11	.	.	29	10	18	15	7		11	5	6	5	10	7	12	4	29	38	7	2	2	6	Five years and above three
4	1			.		6	2	1	1	5	3	2	4	12	7	4	1	18	22	5	1			Ten years and above five
0	0					4	3			6	4	2	1	13	4	11	3	24	36	13	7	1		Fifteen years and above ten
0	2					4	3	2		2								5	7			1		Twenty years and above fifteen
																								Above twenty years.
60	23	75	53	162	82	76	54	27	12	46	23	83	66	123	72	79	35	272	289	59	33	17	25	Total in confinement at end of year 1871
																								PART III.—OFFENCES OF LUNATICS COMMITTED TO ASYLUMS DURING YEAR 1871
		.					1			.		.												Murder of Infants aged one year and under
		.					.			.		.												Other Murders.
		1	1	.		1	1	.		.		.		1	0	0							1	Attempts to Murder. Maim, Stabbing &c
						.		.		.		.												Concealing Birth
						.		.		.		.												Manslaughter
						.		.		.		.												Rape
						.		.		.		.												Assault with Intent to Ravish
						.		.		.		.												Unnatural Offences
						.		.		.		.												Treasonable and Seditious Offences
		15	14	1		11	14	11	5	10	5	16	10	18	6	14	13	3	3	17	13	5	6	Assaults
														1						1				Indecent Exposure of the Person
																								Burglary and Housebreaking.
																								Robbery on the Highway &c.
				1										1										Cattle, Sheep, or Horse Stealing
													1	10	7			6	2		2			Larceny and Petty Thefts.
																								Frauds and Embezzlements
																								Receiving Stolen Goods
														1								1		Arson and Malicious Burning
														5	4			1	1	0	1			Wilful Damage and other Malicious Offences.
																								Perjury
																		1						Uttering or having in possession Counterfeit Coin
																		1						Riot and Breach of the Peace
																		1	1					Under the Vagrant Laws.
15	1			47	25							6				14	1							Dangerous Persons at Large
						2		2	2			1	2			1					1			Insane, wandering about without control
								1																Deserters from the Army or Navy.
																								For want of Sureties.
						2		4	2	1	1	5	3			4	5	3		4	2	2	2	Attempts at Suicide
										5	1											1	1	Threatening Language
																								Drunkenness
																								Felony not classed
																		116	45					Offences not classed
15	1	15	15	48	25	17	22	22	8	10	7	27	23	45	25	33	17	130	92	27	16	9	7	Total committed during year
																								PART IV.—AUTHORITY UNDER WHICH LUNATICS COMMITTED TO ASYLUMS DURING YEAR 1871
																								Transmitted from Gaols by Lord Lieutenant's Warrant—
.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	.		.	1	2		1	.	1						Became Insane after Committal and before Trial.
.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.						2						Found or declared Insane
																								Acquitted as Insane
																		13	0		1			Became Insane while undergoing Sentence of Imprisonment
15	1	15	15	47	26	15	20	22	8	13	7	27	22	43	25	32	17	114	82	27	15	9	7	Committed to Asylums by Justices as Dangerous, under Stat 30 & 31 Vic., c. 118, s. 16
15	1	15	15	48	26	17	22	22	8	15	7	27	23	45	25	33	17	130	92	27	16	9	7	Total committed during year.

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JUDICIAL STATISTICS.

PART II.

RETURNS, TABLES, AND FORMS

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The High Court of Chancery, the Landed Estates Court, the Court of Probate, the High Court of Admiralty, and the Court of Bankruptcy and Insolvency;

The Supreme Courts of Appeal, viz.—Her Majesty in Council, the House of Lords, the Privy Council, Ireland, the Court of Appeal in Chancery, the Exchequer Chamber, and Court of Criminal Appeal;

The Courts of Chairmen of Counties and Recorders, Sheriffs' duties, Local Charter Courts for the Recovery of Small Debts, Jurors' Sessions, Civil Jurisdiction at Quarter Sessions, and the Civil Jurisdiction of Petty Sessions Courts.

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PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.			HILARY TERM			EASTER TERM			TRINITY TERM.			MICHAELMAS TERM.		
	Process Issued	Matters heard		Process Issued	Matters heard		Process Issued	Matters heard		Process Issued	Matters heard		Process Issued.	Matters heard	
		In Banco.	Single Judge.		In Banco.	Single Judge.		In Banco.	Single Judge.		In Banco.	Single Judge.		In Banco	Single Judge
On Writs of Mandamus															
Applications on Affidavit,	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Rules granted to show cause,	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Rules refused,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— discharged,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— made absolute	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Mandamus made absolute,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Quo Warrants															
Informations pending,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— filed,	.	3	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— (stayed)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— refused,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rule nisi,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Process issued,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Judgment for the Crown,	.	3	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— for the Defendant,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On other Special Rules															
Applications refused,	.	10	3	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	1	2	.	6	.
Rules granted nisi,	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.
—— absolute,	.	60	37	.	11	.	10	0	.	.	14	32	.	10	3
—— discharged,	.	6	2	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.
On Writs of Habeas Corpus ad subjiciendum															
Applications for Writs,	.	4	2	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.
Writs refused,	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.
—— granted,	.	2	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Habeas for discharge on bail of Prisoners,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
—— ad respondendum,	.	1	2	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— ad testificandum,	.	4	1	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
—— in Error Cases,	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— ad deliberandum,	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.
On Writs of Prohibition															
Application for Writs,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rules nisi discharged,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— enlarged,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Declarations filed,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Writs returned to original Jurisdiction,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Prohibition issued	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Writs of Certiorari															
Rules nisi granted	.	10	6	.	3	2	3	.	.	.	3	3	.	6	.
—— absolute,	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.
Writs issued	.	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	.
Returnable in other Courts,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Returned to Court of Queen's Bench,	.	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	.
Judgment,	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.
On Writs of Error															
Returned to Queen's Bench,	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Judgment,	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Grand Jury Bills															
Applications to present,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Granted,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Refused,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Informations															
Informations pending,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Number filed ex officio,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— filed by leave of the Court, stayed,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Rule nisi,	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
—— absolute,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
—— refused,	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Defendants acquitted,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Defendants convicted	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Orders of Sessions and Special Cases															
Number removed into Queen's Bench,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Argued	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Judgment given	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Fiscal Presentments															
Number listed (County and City of Dublin),	[£295,180	719	.	.	.	.	[£230,016	4116	.	.	.	.	[£65,320	569	.
Total amount listed (County and City of Dublin),		4 9	.	.	.	.		19 0	.	.	.	.		4 11	.
Objections to Presentments heard	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Directions as to Presentments by Judge, [a]	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Traverses of Presentments,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
On Railway Traverses,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

[a] For County of Dublin, Return made by Secretary of Grand Jury

[b] For County of City of Dublin A Return of Savings amounting to £2,449 12s 2d, reduces the total to be raised to £53,170 6s. 9d., which includes, as per separate Return for Malicious Injuries, £272 7s 1d

[c] The consideration of these Presentments cannot be correctly classified as heretofore under the heads of "Objections heard, and "Directions re to Presentments by Judge" as these matters involve important legal questions, and invariably occupy the attention of the Court for portions of several days—for instance in this Michaelmas Term, 1871 for portions of seven days

QUEEN'S BENCH, CROWN SIDE.—1 (*b*) RETURN of PROCEEDINGS as to CLAIMS for MALICIOUS INJURIES in the City and County of Dublin, for the Year **1871**.

—	MICHAELMAS TERM, 1871	Number	Amount.
			£ s. d.
City of Dublin,	Petitions presented to the Court under 4 Vic. c. 10—Total	14	1,440 10 0
	" standing from Michaelmas Term 1870 as per Return for that year	1	0 10 0
	Notices of Claims entered with Town Clerk in which no Petitions lodged, nor Claims proceeded with in Queen's Bench,	14	1,446 19 0
	Claims submitted by the Court to Town Council the tribunal substituted for City Grand Jury by "The Dublin Improvement Act, 1240"—Total	11	272 7 1d
	Presented by Town Council under the directions of the Court,	3	675 12 0
	Disallowed,	1	0 10 0
	" —not submitted to Town Council,		

Applications or Claims for Malicious Injuries on Traverse of Claims submitted to Common Juries, under the County at Dublin Grand Jury Act 7 & 8 Vic. c. 106 s. 125.		Number	Amount Claimed	Amount Awarded by	
				Grand Jury	Common Jury
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
County of Dublin,	Allowed by Grand Jury and Traversed,	Nil [b]	Nil	Nil	Nil
	Disallowed by Grand Jury,				

[a] Included in General Return Queen's Bench, Crown side.

[b] There was one application for a Jury under this provision to try a claim for a malicious burning for £400, but application for Jury being disallowed no further steps were taken before the Court

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COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—2. RETURN of the PROCEEDINGS of the COURT on the PLEA SIDE in the Year **1871**, made by the MASTER of the COURT

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March.	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Writs of Summons and Plaint filed,	4,922	1,127	1 231	518	1 146
Distresses filed,	897	178	213	90	267
Affidavits,	3 903	1.130	1,155	670	948
Judgments on Order of Court on substituted Service,	28	7	4	10	7
" on Affidavit of Service approved of by Master,	850	250	266	151	217
" on Demurrer for Plaintiff,	2	1		1	
" " for Defendant,	2	1		1	
" on Postea for Plaintiff,	70	20	18	22	13
" " for Defendant,	32	9	11	11	9
" on Writ of Trial or Writ of Inquiry, or Nonsuit,	2	2			
" by Default for Plaintiff,	806	256	266	151	247
" on Consent	94	20	22	12	4
" on Rule by Defendant to Dismiss Plaintiff for not proceeding to Trial,	18	9	4	1	2
Other Case Judgments,	36	10	8	4	5
Ejectment for Rent	63	18	23	17	5
" on the Title,	70	19	27	11	13
Executions,	687	223	167	150	150
Causes for Assessment of Damages before Master under Common Law Procedure Acts 1853 and 1856,	17				
Other Causes referred to Master under Common Law Procedure Acts,	49				
Number of Hours occupied on such References and Assessment of Damages,	From 1 hour to 2 days each case				
Total Number of Case Judgments	1,250	279	378	201	264
Total Cognovit Judgments,	178	63	43	39	32

	£ s. d.
Total Amount recovered by Judgments on Postea,	7 325 19 0
" by Judgment by Default, on Consent, and other Case Judgments,	69,356 18 10
Total on Case,	76,682 17 10
Total Amount of Principal recovered by Cognovit Judgments,	124,378 8 6
TOTAL ON CASE AND COGNOVIT,	192,061 15 4

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—3. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in BANCO in the Year **1871**, made by the CLERK of the RULES

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Errors from Inferior Court :—					
Judgment for Plaintiff;					
" for Defendant					
Motions for New Trial or to enter or alter Verdict, or for Nonsuit, or for Arrest of Judgment, or Non obstante Veredicto :—					
Refused	2		2		
Rules Nisi granted	29	4	3		18
" made Absolute granted on Payment of Costs,	4	1	3		
" " without Costs,	2	1			1
" with question of Costs reserved,	2		2		
" Discharged,	11	4	4		3
Where Court divided,					
Other Special Motions :—					
No Rule	21	4	2		2
Rules refused	22	14	7		2
" Nisi granted,	53	10	28		15
" Absolute granted	158	43	64	1	50
" Discharged with Costs	5		3		2
" " without Costs,	10		6		4
" " with Costs in the Cause					
Referred to Master	10	4	2		3
On Master's Report	2		1		1
Rules for Judgment on Demurrer,	11	0	3		3
" Special Verdict,					
" Special Cases	1			1	
Bills of Exceptions,					
Special Cases—Judgment for Plaintiff	1			1	
" for Defendant,					
Demurrers—Judgment for Plaintiff	3	3			3
" for Defendant,	5	2	3		
Bills of Exceptions—Allowed					
" Overruled					
Applications on Justices and Fishery Commissioners' decisions :—					
Affirmed	1		1		
Reversed,	1		1		
Causes referred to Master under Common Law Procedure Acts, 1853 and 1856 and in other matters,	62	25	12	6	19

a Only one day's Banco Sittings in this Quarter.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—4. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the CLERK of the RULES in the Year **1871**, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Side Bar Rules :—					
Grounded on Affidavit,	240	90	62	24	64
Not so grounded,	220	78	82	39	61
Attorneys admitted,	44	11	21	2	10
Consultals	2		2		

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—5. RETURN of BILLS of SALE Registered in the Year **1871**, made by the MASTER of the COURT.

Bills of Sale registered,	347

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COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—6 RETURN of PROCEEDINGS before a SINGLE JUDGE in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec
No. I.—MORNING SITTINGS IN TERM.					
Ex parte Motions :—					
Granted with Costs,	9	2	5		2
" without Costs,	81	13	47	No Term Sittings in this Quarter	25
" Costs in the Cause,	186	42	85		48
Refused Party to abide his own Costs,					
Consent Orders,	26	6	6		12
Issues settled on Summons —					
With Costs in the Cause,	1				1
With Plaintiff's Costs,	2	1			1
With Defendant's Costs,	1				1
Taking Bail or Recognizance,	2	1			1
No. II.—CONSOLIDATED CHAMBER SITTINGS OUT OF TERM.					
Ex parte Motions —					
Granted with Costs,	21	4	8	4	5
" without Costs,	155	44	61	37	44
" Costs in the Cause,	254	65	64	51	74
Refused Party to abide his own Costs,					
Consent Orders,	41	9	6	16	11
Issues settled on Summons —					
With Costs in the Cause,	3	1		2	
With Plaintiff's Costs,	1	1			
With Defendant's Costs,					
Motions on Notice —					
Granted with Costs,	25	7	2	8	7
" without Costs,	9		3	4	2
" Costs in the Cause,	101	20	17	34	27
Refused with Costs,	22	3	6	7	7
" without Costs					
" Costs in the Cause,	3	2		1	
No Rule	19	1	2	6	1
Discharged, on appearance at one side, with Costs,	3			3	
" " without Costs,	3	2			1
Taking Bail or Recognizance,	1				1

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH —7. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS and STATE of the BUSINESS of the COURT in the Year 1871, made by the REGISTRAR to the LORD CHIEF JUSTICE

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Number of Causes entered for Trial	103	22	15	32	34
Number of Trials defended,	25	6	4	7	8
Number of Trials undefended,					
Number of Remanets by Consent,	1				1
Number of Causes withdrawn	37	5	7	11	14
Number of Causes struck out,	2			1	1
Second Queen's Bench,	33	6	4	13	12

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—8 RETURN of the NATURE and RESULTS of the CAUSES TRIED or otherwise disposed of in COURT in the Year 1871, made by the REGISTRAR to the LORD CHIEF JUSTICE.

NATURE OF THE SUITS TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT	TOTAL CAUSES DISPOSED OF.	TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT											NUMBER OF EACH CLASS OF AMOUNTS RECOVERED										TOTAL AMOUNT RECOVERED.
		Verdict for Plaintiff	Verdict for Plaintiff subject to Special Case	Verdict by Consent with Remanets.	Verdict for Defendant	Jury discharged without Verdict.	Juror withdrawn	Struck out	Venue Changed	Record Withdrawn	Nonsuit	Non Pros. on Remanets.	Above £5,000	£2,000 and above £5,000	£1,000 and above £2,000	£500 and above £1,000	£300 and above £500	£200 and above £300	£100 and above £200	£50 and above £100	£20 and above £50	£20 and under	Verdict establishing Right of Plaintiff	
																							£ s. d.
On Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c.	3									3										1			38 16 0
For Goods sold and delivered,	6	1		1						4													
For Work and Labour done,	3				1			1		1													726 13 9
For Money paid, advanced, or lent,	3	1								2						1							
For Money received,	2										2												
For Compensation for Personal Injuries, and Compensation under Lord Campbell's Act,	1										1												
and Compensation for other Injuries from Negligence,	5	4			1										1			1	2				665 0 0
Replevin or Actions in respect of Distress,																							
Actions in the nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue,	3									2										2	1		97 7 0
For Breach of Contract,	15	3		1	2					9													
Upon Special Contracts,	1									1													
For Breach of Warranty,																							
For Recovery of Land (Ejectments),	1																				1		0 0 0
Trespass relative to Land, Houses, &c.	6	1								5													
For Breach of Promise of Marriage,	1									1													
Seduction,																							150 0 0
Libel,	3	2						1												1	1		
Slander,	2	1				1																1	0 0 0
Malicious Prosecution,	1										1												300 0 0
False Imprisonment,	2	1								1								1					
Assault,	6				1					4		1											
Interpleader Issues:																							
From Courts of Equity,																							
From Court of Probate,					1																		
Nuisance,	1									1													
For Recovery of Rent	1									1													
On Life and Fire Policies,	1																						
Other Suits—viz.																							
Wages and Wrongful Dismissal,																							
Indictment for Manslaughter,																							
Indictment for Shooting at with Intent to Murder,																							
Inquiry of Damages,																							
Illegal Possession and Intimidation at a Parliamentary Election,																							
Dishonoured Cheque,																							
Crim Con																							
TOTAL,	65	14		2	5	2		2		37	2	1				1	1		1	2	3	2	1 896 10 03

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COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—1. RETURN of the PROCEEDINGS of the COURT on the PLEA SIDE in the Year 1871, made by the MASTER of the COURT.

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Writs of Summons and Plaint filed,	3,695	1,154	1,189	819	1,163
Defences filed,	708	227	256	129	186
Affidavits,	3,804	1,130	440	1,382	852
Judgments on Order of Court on substituted Service	104	22	21	26	26
" on Affidavit of Service approved of by Master,	171	45	36	48	42
" on Demurrer for Plaintiff	1	1			
" " for Defendant	1				1
" on Postea for Plaintiff,	61	30	10	9	12
" " for Defendant,	15	3	6	1	5
" on Writ of Trial or Writ of Inquiry, or Nonsuit,	11	3	4	1	3
" by Default for Plaintiff,	1,040	314	270	178	278
" on Consent,	62	19	14	15	14
Other Case Judgments,	26	18	7		0
Ejectment for Rent,	97	21	28	3	25
" on the Title,	54	22	21		10
Causes for Assessment of Damages by Master under Common Law Procedure Acts, 1853 and 1856	10	3	4	1	2
Other causes referred to Master under Common Law Procedure Acts,	9	3	2		4
Number of Hours occupied on such References and Assessment of Damages,	69	30	16	12	10
On Rule by Defendant to dismiss Plaintiff for not proceeding to trial,	58	17	13	15	14
Total Number of Case Judgments,	1,716	521	453	284	442
Total Cognovit Judgments	24	10	5	3	3

	£ s. d.
Total Amount recovered by Judgments on Postea, by Judgment by Default or on Consent, and other Case Judgments,	3,914 3 7½ / 78 436 13 7
Total on Case,	82 750 17 2½
Total Amount of Principal recovered by Cognovit Judgments,	18 200 17 0
TOTAL ON CASE AND COGNOVIT,	101,951 14 2½

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—2. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in BANCO in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Errors from Inferior Court —					
Judgment for Plaintiff					
" for Defendant					
Motions for New Trial or to enter or alter Verdict, or for Nonsuit, or for arrest of Judgment, or Non obstante Veredicto →					
Refused,	9	4			4
Rules Nisi granted a	22		10		7
" made Absolute granted on Payment of Costs,	12	3	3		4
" " without Costs	9	2			3
" " with question of Costs reserved,					
" Discharged	8	3	4		1
Where Court divided,					
Other Special Motions —					
No Rule,	12	4	6		2
Rules refused,	10	2	7		1
" Nisi granted,	28	12	13		3
" Absolute granted	204	35	112		54
" Discharged with Costs,	11	4	4		3
" without Costs	3		3		
" with Costs in the Cause,					
Referred to Master,	6	2	3		1
On Master's Report	6	3	3		
Rules for Judgment on Demurrer	7	4	3		
" Special Verdict,					
" Special Case,					
Bills of Exceptions,					
Special Cases :—					
Judgment for Plaintiff					
" for Defendant,					
Demurrers —					
Judgment for Plaintiff					
" for Defendant	4	2			2
Bills of Exceptions —	3		3		
Allowed					
Over ruled					
Applications on Justices' and Fishery Commissioners' Decisions :—					
Affirmed					
Reversed					
Causes referred to Master under Common Law Procedure Acts, 1853 and 1856, and in other Matters,	7	2	3		2

No Sittings during this Quarter

* Rules Nisi granted in Michaelmas Term of any year appear in the Return for the succeeding year, according to the decisions made thereon

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—3. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the CLERK of the RULES in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL	Quarter ending 31st March.	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Side Bar Rules —					
Grounded on Affidavit,	172	47	58	10	63
Not so grounded,	222	0	65	69	93
Attorneys Admitted,	40	12	26	1	10
Committals,	6	2	1	1	1

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—4. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS relating to the ACKNOWLEDGMENTS of DEEDS by MARRIED WOMEN in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS.	Number
Acknowledgments filed,	373
Perpetual Commissioners appointed,	4
Special Commissions granted,	89

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COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—5. Return of Proceedings before a Single Judge in the Year 1871, made by the Clerk of the Rules.

Proceedings.	Total	Quarter ending 31st March.	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
No. I.—Morning Sittings in Term					
Ex parte Motions:—					
Granted with Costs,	12	3	7	No Sittings during this Quarter	2
" without Costs,	58	13	29		16
" Costs in the Cause,	107	23	47		37
Refused. Party to abide his own Costs,	2	—	2		—
Consent Orders,	66	14	33		20
Issues settled on Summons:—					
With Costs in the Cause,	6	2	2		2
With Plaintiff's Costs,	8	3	4		1
With Defendant's Costs,	2	2	—		—
Taking Bail or Recognizance,	3	2	1		—
No. II.—Consolidated Chamber Sittings out of Term					
Ex parte Motions:—					
Granted with Costs,	23	5	2	9	7
" without Costs,	81	22	7	29	23
" Costs in the Cause,	237	59	27	81	79
Refused. Party to abide his own Costs,	5	1	1	—	3
Consent Orders,	86	12	8	17	10
Issues settled on Summons:—					
With Costs in the Cause,	8	2	2		4
With Plaintiff's Costs,	3	—	—		3
With Defendant's Costs,	4	2	2		—
Motions on Notice:—					
Granted with Costs,	50	10	7	10	14
" without Costs,	21	5	3	6	7
" Costs in the Cause,	107	34	17	20	12
Refused with Costs,	9	1	1	4	3
" without Costs,	—	—	—	—	—
" Costs in the Cause,	4	1	1	2	—
No Rule,	32	7	1	4	6
Discharged, on appearance at one side, with Costs,	5	2	1		2
" without Costs,	1	1	—		—
Taking Bail or Recognizance,	6	3	2		1

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—6. Return of the Nature and Results of the Causes Tried, or otherwise disposed of in Court, in the Year 1871, made by the Registrar to the Lord Chief Justice.

Nature of the Suits Tried or otherwise disposed of in Court	Total Causes Tried.	Tried or otherwise disposed of in Court: Verdict for Plaintiff	Verdict by Consent with Reference.	Verdict for Defendant	Jury discharged without Verdict	Juror writ drawn	Amount.	Venue changed	Record withdrawn	Stet Processus.	Struck out or settled.	Sent into Second Court.	Referred to arbitration.	Postponed.	Number of each Class of Amounts Recovered: Above £5,000	£3,000 and above £5,000	£2,000 and above £3,000	£1,000 and above £2,000	£500 and above £1,000	£300 and above £500	£200 and above £300	£100 and above £200	£50 and above £20.	£20 and under	Verdict, establishing Right of Plaintiff	Total Amount Recovered £ s d
On Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c.,	18	7		1		1			2		7											1	6			301 0 8
On Bonds,	1				1																					—
For Goods sold and delivered, including bargained and sold,	10	8									2											1	1			282 18 10
For Work and Labour done,	14	6		1					3		4											2	1			461 5 0
For Money paid advanced or lent, including balance on account	6	1							3		2												1			77 7 5
For Money received including loss,	4	1		2							1													1		38 0 0
For Compensation for Personal Injuries, and Compensation under Lord Campbell's Act	8	4							1		1									1		1	1			603 0 3
For Compensation for other Injuries from Negligence	1	1																			1					2.0 0 0
Replevin or Actions in respect of Distress,	1											1														—
Actions in the Nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue	12	3		1				2	3		3											1	2			163 10 0
For Breach of Contract and Agreement	13	5		4				1	2		2	1										1	1		1	464 5 3
For Breach of Warranty																										—
For Infringement of Patents,																										—
For Recovery of Land (Ejectments)	2	1									1														1	—
Trespass relative to Land Houses, &c., including forcible possession and right of way,	13	6		1					2		3		1									1		5		119 4 0½
For Breach of Promise of Marriage	1	1																				1				78 0 0
Seduction and Criminal Conversation with Wife,	2	1							1																	200 0 0
Libel																										—
Slander	2								1		1															—
Malicious Prosecution,																										—
False Imprisonment,	1										1													1		6 0 0½
Assault	4	1		1	1						1															—
Interpleader Issues—From Courts of Equity,																										—
" From Court of Probate,																										—
" In other Cases,																										—
Nuisance,																										—
For Breach of Covenant,	1			1																						—
For Recovery of Rent including use and occupation	9	6							2		3		1									1	1	1		931 12 11
On Life and Fire Policies,	1								1																	—
Other Suits, viz.:—																										
Negligence as Sheriff	1	1																					1			34 8 2
False Return by Sheriff	1	1																					1			40 16 11
On Foot of a Judgment,	3										3															—
Total	128	48		12	2	1		4	20		40	2	2						1	1	3	0	17	7	2	3,201 7 0½

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COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—7. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS and STATE of the BUSINESS of the COURT in the Year 1871, made by the REGISTRAR to the LORD CHIEF JUSTICE

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Number of Causes entered for Trial,	128	37	51		40
Number of Trials defended,	54	15	23		16
Number of Trials undefended,	8	4	.		3
Number of Remanets by Consent,	-				.
Number of Remanets for want of time to try,	-				4
Number of Causes withdrawn,	20	4	13		3
Number of Causes struck out, or settled	40	10	13		17
Number of Causes sent to be tried by Second Judge,	2	2			
Number of Causes where Venue changed,	4	2	1		1
Number of Causes referred to Arbitration	2		1		1
Number of Cases withdrawn pursuant to Order (Stet Processus)					
Number of Causes referred to Master,					
Number of Causes postponed,					

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.—1. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS of the COURT on the PLEA SIDE in the Year 1871, made by the MASTER of the COURT.

PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Writs of Summons and Pleas filed	4,094	1,036	1,244	523	1,313
Defences filed,	781	194	232	35	131
Affidavits	4,218	1,037	1,242	735	1,207
Judgments on Order of Court on Substituted Service	21	3	7	1	4
" on Affidavit of Service approved of by Master	1,139	267	285	288	283
" on Demurrer for Plaintiff	1	.	.	.	1
" " for Defendant,	1	.	.	.	1
" on Postea for Plaintiff	35	17	33	13	12
" " for Defendant,	25	4	9	9	3
" on Writ of Trial or Writ of Inquiry or Nonsuit,	17	3	6	3	5
" by Default for Plaintiff	1,103	267	265	288	283
" on Consent,	62	13	27	13	7
" on Rule by Defendant to dismiss Plaintiff for not proceeding to Trial		.			
Other Case Judgments	150	32	43	18	37
Ejectment for Rent	143	33	43	11	36
" on the Title	184	45	78	15	24
Executions	735	172	219	104	240
Causes for Assessment of Damages by Master under Common Law Procedure Acts, 1853 and 1860	23	3	12	2	4
Other Causes referred to Master under orders of Court,	3	1	1	1	.
Number of Hours occupied on such References and Assessment of Damages,					
Total Number of Case Judgments,	1,444	361	388	344	353
Total Cognovit Judgments,	414	102	99	31	182

	£	s.	d.
Total Amount recovered by Judgments on Postea,	12 116	12	8
" " by Judgment by Default, on Consent, and other Case Judgments,	63 564	0	1
Total on Case,	75 678	12	10
Total Amount of Principal recovered by Cognovit Judgments,	235 348	3	5
TOTAL ON CASE AND COGNOVIT,	283,419	2	3

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.—2. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in BANCO in the YEAR 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept	Quarter ending 31st Dec
Errors from Inferior Court —					
Judgment for Plaintiff					
" for Defendant,				.	.
Motions for New Trial or to enter or alter Verdict, or for Nonsuit, or for Arrest of Judgment, or Non-obstante Veredicto —					
Refused	6		2	.	4
Rules Nisi granted	27	1	14		12
" made Absolute, granted on Payment of Costs,	3	3	.		
" " without Costs,	4	1	3		
" " with question of Costs reserved,					3
" Discharged	13	6	13		3
Where Court divided,	1	1			
Other Special Motions —					
No Rule,	3	.	3		
Rules refused	28	3	3	.	5
" Nisi granted,	37	13	23		5
" Absolute granted	238	35	33		53
" Discharged with Costs	5	1	1		3
" " without Costs,	2		2		
" " with Costs in the Cause,	1	1	.	.	.
Referred to Master	5	4	4		1
On Master's Report,	3	1			2
Rules for Judgment on Demurrer,	11	3	3		4
" " on Special Verdict,					.
" " on Special Case,	2		2	.	.
Bills of Exceptions,					.
Special Cases —					
Judgment for Plaintiff	2				2
" for Defendant,	3	.	1		2
Demurrers —					
Judgment for Plaintiff	2	1	1		
" for Defendant,	5	3	2		.
Bills of Exceptions —					
Allowed	.	.	.	.	
Over ruled	.		.		
Applications on Justices' and Fishery Commissioners' Decisions—					
Affirmed,	1		1		
Reversed,	.	.	.		.
Causes referred to Master under Common Law Procedure Acts, 1853 and 1854, and in other Matters,	21	6	10	3	2

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COURT OF EXCHEQUER.—3. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the CLERK of the RULES in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept	Quarter ending 31st Dec
Side Bar Rules —					
Grounded on Affidavit,	223	74	60	29	60
Not so grounded,	284	69	93	47	55
Flats,	14		4	5	5
Attorneys Admitted,	42	12	10	2	9
Committals,	1	1			

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.—4. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS before a SINGLE JUDGE in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec
No. I.—MORNING SITTINGS IN TERM.					
Ex parte Motions —					
Granted with Costs,					
" without Costs,	65	19	34		30
" Costs in the Cause,	87	18	31		38
Refused, Party to abide his own Costs,				No Sittings during this Quarter	
Consent Orders,	26	6	16		4
Issues settled on Summons —					
With Costs in the Cause	2		2		
With Plaintiff's Costs,	3	1	1		1
With Defendant's Costs					
Taking Bail or Recognizance	No Record				
No. II.—CONSOLIDATED CHAMBER SITTINGS OUT OF TERM					
Ex parte Motions —					
Granted with Costs	1	1			
" without Costs	114	33	31	24	26
" Costs in the Cause	278	98	51	46	83
Refused, Party to abide his own Costs,					
Consent Orders	60	13	12	10	10
Issues settled on Summons —					
With Costs in the Cause	1	1			
With Plaintiff's Costs,	3				1
With Defendant's Costs,					
Motions on Notice —					
Granted with Costs,	19	3	2	6	8
" without Costs	54	25	10	6	13
" Costs in the Cause,	130	38	32	35	25
Refused with Costs,	9	3	2	2	2
" without Costs					
" Costs in the Cause	3	1	8		1
No Rule,	5	5	3		1
Discharged, on appearance of one side, with Costs	6			2	1
" without Costs,	12		1	9	2
Taking Bail or Recognizance,	3	1	1		1

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.—5. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the REVENUE, and in LEGACY and SUCCESSION DUTY CASES, &c., in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the RULES.

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June.	Quarter ending 30th Sept	Quarter ending 31st Dec
SIDE BAR RULES					
Revenue Cases (Rules in)	30	7	11		12
Legacy and Succession Duty Cases	5	1			4
SITTINGS IN BANCO					
Motions in Court,	17	3	11		3
Motions for Attachment without argument,	17	6	11		3
Causes in Equity on Information, &c.	2	1	1		

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.—6. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS and STATE of the BUSINESS of the COURT in the YEAR 1871, made by the REGISTRAR to the LORD CHIEF BARON

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Quarter ending 31st March	Quarter ending 30th June	Quarter ending 30th Sept.	Quarter ending 31st Dec.
Number of Causes entered for Trial,	194	34	72		28
Number of Trials defended,	27	10	11		6
Number of Trials undefended					
Number of Remanets by Consent					
Number of Remanets by Injunction or Decree,	2	1	1		
Number of Remanets for want of time to try,					
Number of Causes Withdrawn Referred, Struck out or Settled, Venue changed					
Number of Causes Disposed of in Nisi Prius Court (Second Exchequer), and accounted for in the Return of the Registrar of that Court,	165	28	60		22

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COURT OF EXCHEQUER.—7 RETURN of the NATURE and RESULTS of the CAUSES TRIED or otherwise disposed of in COURT, in the Year 1871, made by the REGISTRAR to the LORD CHIEF BARON.

NATURE OF THE SUITS TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT	TOTAL CAUSES DISPOSED OF	TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT.											NUMBER OF EACH CLASS OF AMOUNTS RECOVERED—										TOTAL AMOUNT RECOVERED
		Verdict for Plaintiff	Verdict for Plaintiff subject to Special Case	Verdict or Consent with References or Referred without Verdict	Verdict for Defendant	Jury discharged without Verdict	Never withdrawn	Abated	Never changed	Report otherwise	Set Peremptory	Remanded	Above £5,000	£1,000 and above £5,000	£2,000 and above £1,000	£1,000 and above £500	£500 and above £300	£300 and above £200	£200 and above £100	£100 and above £50	£50 and above £20	£20 and under	1 cent (establishing Right of Plaintiff)	
On Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c.,	8	1								4											1		£ s d 40 0 0
On Bonds,																							
For Goods sold and delivered	3	1								2											1		11 3 0
For Work and Labour done	2									2													
For Money paid, advanced, or lent,																							
For Money received	1									1													
For Compensation for Personal Injuries, and Compensation under Lord Campbell's Act,	7	3			3						1							1		1	1		260 0 0
For Compensation for other Injuries from Negligence,	5	1								2	2				1								1,146 13 3
Replevins or Actions in respect of Distress																							
Actions in the nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue,	1									1													
For Breach of Contract,	15	3		1	1					10							1	1		1			428 10 0
Upon Special Contracts,																							
For Breach of Warranty,	2									2													
For Infringement of Patents,																							
For Recovery of Land (Ejectments)																							
Trespass relative to Land, Houses, &c	7	4							1	2											4		27 0 0
Questions on Wills,																							
For Breach of Promise of Marriage,	1	1																1					150 0 0
Seduction																							
Libel	1									1													
Slander	1									1													
Malicious Prosecution,																							
False Imprisonment,																							
Assault	6	2		1	1	1				1								1			1		210 0 0
Interpleader Issues—From Courts of Equity,																							
" From Court of Probate,																							
" Other Cases	1									1													
Nuisance,																							
For Breach of Covenant,	1									1													
For Recovery of Rent	3	1								2										1			60 0 0
On Life and Fire Policies,																							
Other Suits, viz.—																							
To Revive Judgment,	1									1													
On an Award,	1									1													
False Representation,	2									2													
Calls on Shares,	2							1		1													
TOTAL	88	17		2	5	1		1	1	38		3			1			1	4	1	2	8	2,327 13 3

PROCEEDINGS COMMON to the THREE SUPERIOR COURTS of COMMON LAW.

1. CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS COURT.—I. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS COURT and before JUDGES at AFTER-SITTINGS in the Year 1871, made by the REGISTRAR of the COURT

PROCEEDINGS	CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS.								BEFORE EXTRA JUDGES AT AFTER-SITTINGS.							
	Hilary	Easter	Trinity	Michaelmas	Total	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas	Exchequer	After Hilary	After Easter	After Trinity	After Michaelmas	Total	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas	Exchequer
Number of Causes entered for Trial,	30	32	32	24	128	22	51	45	12	12	51	22	100	40	2	60
Number of Trials defended	5	13	19	7	35	7	14	14	11	7	16	13	47	21	2	24
Number of Trials undefended	7	3	1	4	15	9	8	4	—	—	4	—	4	2		2
Number of Remanets by Consent,																
Number of Causes withdrawn,	4	4	7	4	19	8	7	4	1	3	13	6	20	5		15
Number of Causes struck out or settled,	13	12	12	12	49	10	21	18	1	2	19	12	34	12		22
Transferred to After-Sittings	1		2	7	10	1	4	5								
Postponed to next Term,																
Venue changed,											2	1	3			3
Referred to Arbitration																

2. CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS COURT.—II. RETURN of NUMBER of APPEALS entered for hearing in the CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS COURT in the Year 1871, from the RECORDER of the CITY and CHAIRMAN of the COUNTY of DUBLIN, made by the REGISTRAR of the COURT (Stat. 13 Vic., c. 18, s. 30, and Stat. 13 & 14, c. 57, s. 132)

APPEALS	TOTAL	HILARY TERM				EASTER TERM					TRINITY TERM					MICHAELMAS TERM.				
		Entered	Affirmed	Reversed	Settled, Struck out, &c.	Entered	Affirmed	Reversed	Postponed by Consent	Settled, Struck out, &c.	Entered	Affirmed	Reversed	Postponed by Consent	Settled, Struck out, &c.	Entered	Affirmed	Reversed	Postponed by Consent	Settled, Struck out, &c.
DECREES																				
From Recorder, City of Dublin,	24	.	.	.	.	8	2	4	1	1	3	2	.	2	1	13	9	7	.	.
From Chairman, County of Dublin,	9	4	1	.	3	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.
DISMISS																				
From Recorder, City of Dublin,	12	.	.	.	.	4	2	1	1	.	5	2	.	1	1	5	4	1	.	.
From Chairman, County of Dublin,	3	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.
Total Number of Appeals entered	48	4	1	.	3	17	8	5	3	1	9	3	1	3	2	21	12	9	.	.

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3. CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS COURT.—III. RETURN of the NATURE and RESULTS of the CAUSES TRIED or otherwise disposed of in COURT in the Year **1871**, made by the REGISTRAR of the COURT

NATURE OF THE SUITS TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT	Total Causes Tried	Tried or otherwise disposed of in Court: Verdict for Plaintiff	Verdict for Plaintiff subject to Special Case	Verdict by Consent with Reference	Verdict for Defendant	Jury discharged without Verdict	Juror withdrawn	Nonsuit	Verdict changed	Record withdrawn	Stet Processus	Postponed to next Term	Struck out or Settled	Transferred to Arbitration	Referred to Arbitration	Number of each Class of Amounts Recovered: Above £5,000	£1,000 and above £5,000	£2,000 and above £1,000	£1,000 and above £500	£500 and above £200	£200 and above £100	£100 and above £50	£50 and above £20	£20 and under	Verdict establishing Right of Plaintiff	Total Amount Recovered
On Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c.,	29	9			1					12		16	17								1		3	5	1	£ s. d. 627 16 11
On Bonds,																										
For Goods sold and delivered, and bargained and sold,	45	13			2	1				7		12	20										2	2	2	355 2 4½
For Work and Labour done,	10	9		1						0		1	1								1		2	2		207 15 0
For Money paid, advanced, or lent,	11									0		2	6													
For Money received																										
For Compensation for Personal Injuries, and Compensation under Lord Campbell's Act,																										
For Compensation for other Injuries from Negligence,																										
Replevin or Actions in respect of Distress,	1											1														
Actions in the nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue,	3	1			1																					
For Breach of Contract,	7	4								2		1								1		1		2		340 19 0
Upon Special Contracts,																										
For Breach of Warranty,																										
For Infringement of Patents,																									1	
For Recovery of Land (Ejectments),	1	1																								
Trespass relative to Land, Houses, &c.	1									1																
Questions on Wills,																										
For Breach of Promise of Marriage,																										
Seduction,																										
Libel,																										
Slander,																										
Malicious Prosecution,																							1			50 0 0
False Imprisonment,	1	1																								
Assault,																										
Interpleader Issues:																									1	
From Courts of Equity,	4	1			1					1		1														
From Courts of Probate,																										
In other Cases,																										
Nuisance,																										
For Breach of Covenant,																										
For Recovery of Rent, including use and occupation,	6	0								1			2							1		1	1	3		1 101 14 5½
Other Suits viz. —																										
Writ of Revivor,	4	2											2								1	1				659 15 0
On Feet of a Judgment,	2																						1			
Agistment of Cattle,	1	1																								63 15 4
Commission on Sale of Goods,																										
TOTAL,	128	43		1	6	1				10		10	48							1	1	3	1	8	10	11	2	1 516 13 10½

4. AFTER-SITTINGS at NISI PRIUS before extra JUDGES of the QUEEN'S BENCH, COMMON PLEAS, and EXCHEQUER.—IV. RETURN of the NATURE and RESULTS of the CAUSES TRIED or otherwise disposed of in COURT, in the Year **1871**, made by the REGISTRAR of the CONSOLIDATED NISI PRIUS COURT

NATURE OF THE SUITS TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT	Total Causes Tried	Tried or otherwise Disposed of in Court: Verdict for Plaintiff	Verdict for Plaintiff subject to Special Case	Verdict by Consent with Reference	Verdict for Defendant	Jury discharged without Verdict	Juror withdrawn	Nonsuit	Verdict changed	Record withdrawn	Stet Processus	Struck out or Settled	Postponed	Transferred by Consent	Number of each Class of Amounts Recovered: Above £5,000	£1,000 and above £5,000	£2,000 and above £1,000	£1,000 and above £500	£500 and above £200	£200 and above £100	£100 and above £50	£50 and above £20	£20 and under	Verdict establishing Right of Plaintiff	Total Amount Recovered
On Promissory Notes Bills of Exchange &c.,	10	2			4					0		7						1	1							£ s. d. 1,995 1 9
On Bonds,																										
For Goods sold and delivered, and bargained and sold,	13	0								5		4											2		2	210 5 2
For Work and Labour done,	6	1										4														53 13 0
For Money paid advanced, or lent,	11	7								1		3						.	1	1	1	2	2			1,097 16 0
For Money received	1						1																			
For Compensation for Personal Injuries, and Compensation under Lord Campbell's Act,	1	1																.						1		5 0 0
For Compensation for other Injuries from Negligence																										
Actions in the nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue	4				1							1										2	1			105 0 0
For Breach of Contract and Agreement,	12	0			3				2	2		1														
For Breach of Warranty,	2									1		1												1		0 0 0
For Recovery of Land (Ejectments),	4	1			1					2													2	3		95 1 0
Trespass relative to Land, Houses, &c.	10	5			2				1			2														
For Breach of Promise of Marriage	1				1													.								
Libel																										
Slander	7	4			2					1											1			3		225 0 0
False Imprisonment,	2											1														
Assault,	4	3								1		1								1			1			130 0 0
Interpleader Issues:																										
From Courts of Equity																										
From Courts of Probate,																										
In other Cases,	1											1														
Nuisance,																										
For Breach of Covenant,																										
For Recovery of Rent, including use and occupation,	6	2			1							3						.					1	1		88 10 0
On Life and Fire Policies,																										
Other Suits, viz.—	2	1																					.	1		0 1 0
Fishery	1											1														
Writ of Revivor	1																	.								
Illegal Scheme,	1				1																					
TOTAL,	108	34			10			1	3	20		34						.	1	2	1	3	9	6	13		3,063 4 0

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5 CONSOLIDATED WRIT AND SEAL OFFICE.—Return of Proceedings in the Office for the Year 1871, made by the Clerk of the Writs

—	In First Quarter 31st March	In Second Quarter, 30th June	In Third Quarter, 30th September	In Fourth Quarter, 31st December	Total	For Sums not over £20	Over £20 and not over £40.	Over £40 and not over £100.	Over £100	Writs in which no Sum specified
Summons and Plaint returnable to—										
Queen's Bench,	1,227	1,507	932	1,037	5,003	1,142	1,255	1,022	607	166
Common Pleas,	1,345	1,526	714	1,476	4,061	1,211	1,128	585	136	130
Exchequer,	1,302	1,513	855	1,222	5,079	1,043	1,324	1,155	410	236
Total,	3,904	4,603	2,461	4,035	15,103	4,396	3,707	2,762	1,153	532
Writs issued for Revenue,	90	83	11	67	246					
Writs of Revivor,	21	20	6	13	60					
Writs of Replevin	–	–	–	3	3					
Inquiries, Suggestions, &c.,	71	73	60	27	231					
Records,	218	107	204	70	599					
Total,	400	283	281	180	1,144					

—	Total in three Courts	Queen's Bench					Common Pleas					Exchequer.				
		First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Total.	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Total.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Total.
Writs of Capias ad satisfaciendum	1,435	127	115	103	112	462	140	120	112	107	488	108	153	120	126	535
" of Fieri facias,	2,827	274	240	174	222	910	242	222	182	240	896	244	208	215	234	1,013
" on Plots,	72	3	10	3	5	21	6	9	6	4	26	–	4	10	11	25
" of Habere,	369	43	40	34	18	135	30	34	20	19	121	35	34	30	44	143
" of Sequestration, &c.,	31	1	4	0	3	14	–	–	2	1	3	–	1	1	2	4
Total,	4,804	448	415	325	360	1,548	423	396	333	371	1,533	492	402	385	454	1,720

Gross Number of Attorneys Licences for the year 1871 sealed and entered, 1,155

6 REGISTRY OF JUDGMENTS.—Return of Proceedings in the Office for the Year 1871, made by the Registrar of Judgments.

Proceedings	Registered.	Re-registered	Total.	Proceedings.	Registered.	Re docketed	Total.
Judgments of Superior Courts obtained before 11th July 1850	0	325	331	Recognizances,	227	–	227
Judgments of Superior Court obtained since 11th July 1850,	4,105	129	4,334	Crown Bonds,	57	–	57
Judgments of Inferior Court removed to Superior Court,	5	–	5	Judgments at Suit of Crown,	–	–	–
Revivals,	35	–	35	Statutes	–	–	–
Decrees,	)	–		Inquisitions	–	–	–
Rules and Orders	) 24	–	24	Acceptances of Office,	–	–	–
Lis pendens	485	–	485				
Civil Bill Decrees for Poor Rates,	–	–	–				
Judgments from Courts in England and Scotland	91	–	91				
Total	4,791	454	5,245	Total	284	–	284

Satisfactions of Judgments,	493	Requisitions for liberty to Search made by Public,	1,636
Vacates of Crown Bonds and Vacates of Recognizances	125	Attested Copies of recorded Searches issued	46
Cancellations of Crown Bonds,	30	Duplicate Searches issued	11
Common Searches made	504		
Negative Searches on £1 Stamps made *	1,617		
Negative Searches on 10s 6d Stamps made,*	26		
Total,	2,874		

Number of Stamped Certificates issued upon which the Registrar previously to 30 & 31 Vic., c 129, received Fees, 6,000

Amount of Stamp Duty 1871 (Gross),	£3 629 0 0
Discount allowed,	50 13 11
Net Amount received,	£3 563 6 1

* 34 & 35 Vic, c. 72

7 COMMON LAW TAXING OFFICE.—Return of Proceedings in the Office for the Year 1871, made by the Taxing Officers

Proceedings	Number of Bills of Costs certified	Amount of Sum claimed	Certified Costs, Amount allowed	Amount of Law Fund Duties
		£ s. d	£ s. d	£ s. d
Records &c.	1,324	61 893 0 2	46 871 0 0	382 2 0
Registering Deeds,	245	646 7 2	923 0 0	24 13 0
Registering and Re registering of Judgments,	184	208 7 0	292 19 10	18 8 0
Assignments of Judgments,	6	38 0 2	31 12 6	0 12 0
Total	1,759	63,177 0 6	48,125 4 6	429 12 0
		Stamp Duty on Summonses,		105 18 0
		Total,		601 10 0
Number of Summonses issued,			1,059	

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8 PROCEEDINGS ON CIRCUIT—TABLE I. PROCEEDINGS in CAUSES entered for TRIAL in the COURTS of QUEEN'S BENCH, COMMON PLEAS, EXCHEQUER, COURT of PROBATE, Issues from CHANCERY, and Issues from LANDED ESTATES COURT, in the Year 1871, compiled from Returns made by the JUDGES' REGISTRARS

PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	HOME CIRCUIT		LEINSTER CIRCUIT		MUNSTER CIRCUIT		NORTH EAST CIRCUIT		NORTH WEST CIRCUIT		CONNAUGHT CIRCUIT	
		Spring.	Summer	Spring.	Summer *	Spring	Summer	Spring.	Summer	Spring	Summer	Spring.	Summer
Causes entered for Trial:													
Queen's Bench,	115	7	10	5	14	10	23	8	11	3	8	8	7
Common Pleas,	135	6	8	3	10	18	14	17	13	7	3	13	12
Exchequer,	132	8	5	7	12	16	20	15	15	4	10	7	7
Court of Probate,	1						1						
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total entered for Trial,	383	21	23	20	36	44	58	41	39	14	27	28	26
Trials Defended:													
Queen's Bench,	106	4	8	5	12	9	21	6	10	3	6	7	9
Common Pleas,	111	3	4	5	10	14	13	15	6	6	8	11	11
Exchequer,	100	3	5	6	12	10	17	10	8	4	10	5	4
Court of Probate,	1						1						
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total,	318	10	17	10	34	41	52	31	33	13	24	23	24
Trials Undefended:													
Queen's Bench,	4	1	2		1								
Common Pleas,	2	1	1										
Exchequer,	5	2		1			3	1					
Court of Probate,													
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total,	11	3	3	1	1		3	1			1		1
Remanets by Consent:													
Queen's Bench,	1	1											
Common Pleas,												1	1
Exchequer,	1												
Court of Probate,													
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total	2	1											1
Remanets by Injunction or Decree:													
Queen's Bench,													
Common Pleas,	1									1			
Exchequer,													
Court of Probate,													
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total,	1									1			
Remanets for want of time to try:													
Queen's Bench,	1											1	
Common Pleas,							1						
Exchequer,	1												
Court of Probate,													
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total,	2						1					1	
Causes withdrawn:													
Queen's Bench,	18	1			1	1	2	3	2		2		1
Common Pleas,	13	1	1			2	1	2	1		1	2	1
Exchequer,	13	3	2			2	1	4	3			2	2
Court of Probate,													
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total,	44	5	3		1	5	4	9	6		3	4	4
Causes struck out, settled, &c., or verdict by consent with reference or Jury disagreed:													
Queen's Bench,													
Common Pleas,	3	1	2										
Exchequer,	1		1										
Court of Probate,													
Issues from Chancery,													
Issues from Landed Estates Court,													
Total,	9	1	3										

* For want of a return from Registrar of a deceased Judge on the Leinster Summer Circuit in 1871, the Statistics for 1870 for one Judge's Registrar on that Circuit have been taken.

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9 PROCEEDINGS ON CIRCUIT.—TABLE II. NATURE and RESULT of the CAUSES TRIED or otherwise disposed of on CIRCUIT, in the Year 1871, compiled from Returns made by JUDGES REGISTRARS, with Business on the Leinster Summer Circuit from one REGISTRAR,* from Statistics for 1870.

NATURE OF THE SUITS TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT	COURTS FROM WHICH CAUSES WERE SENT FOR TRIAL.							TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT.												
	Queen's Bench	Common Pleas	Exchequer	Court of Probate.	Issues from Chancery	Issues from the Landed Estates Court.	Total.	Verdict for Plaintiff	Verdict for Plaintiff subject to Special Case	Verdict by Consent with Reference	Verdict for Defendant	Jury disagreed, without Verdict.	Juries withdrawn.	Judgment entered	Nonsuit	Struck out	Stet Processus.	Venue changed	Remand.	Record withdrawn, &c	Totals.
On Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c.,	2	4	6				12	3			3					2	1			1	12
On Bonds,		1	1				2			1										1	2
For Goods sold and delivered, &c	8	8	8				24	14				1				1				1	26
For Work and Labour done,	2	3	4				9	2			3									1	6
For Money paid, advanced, or lent,	1	2	3				6	4			2										6
For Money received,	5	5	3				12	5		1	1	1	1							1	15
For Compensation for Personal Injuries and Compensation under Lord Campbell's Act,	2	3	4				13	3			4	4							1		13
For Compensation for other Injuries from Negligence,	4	2	7				13	7			4						1			1	13
Replevin or Action in respect of Distress,	1		1				2	1									1				2
Actions in the nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue,		10	3				13	7			3	2			1						13
For Breach of Contract or Agreement,	7	9	8				24	11	1	1	3	2	1			2	1			2	24
Upon Special Contracts,	1		1				2	1			1										2
For Breach of Warranty,	1		1				2				1	1									2
For Infringement of Patents or Copy Right,			2				2	1												1	2
For Recovery of Land (Ejectments),	38	29	38				107	38		1	4	18	3	1	[4]	2	2			1	6	107
Trespass relative to Land or Houses, including Right of Way, Waste, &c.,	15	19	11				45	28			5	3	3	3		1				2	1	43
Questions on Wills,				1			1	1													1
For Breach of Promise of Marriage,	1	3	4				13	8					2			1				1	12
Seduction or Criminal Conversation,	1	4					5	4												1	5
Libel,	1	4	4				9	3			2		1								6
Slander,	4	2	5				11	4			3					1				4	11
Malicious Prosecution,	1						1	1													1
False Imprisonment,	2		1				3	2							[1]					1	3
Assault,	8	6	3				17	9			2	2		1						2	17
Interpleader Issues																					
From Courts of Equity,																					
From Court of Probate,	1	1					2	1				1									2
In other Cases,	1	1					2	1			1										2
Nuisance,			1				1	1													1
For Breach of Covenant,	1	1					2	1			1										2
For Recovery of Rent or Grazing,	1	3	7				11	7		1										3	11
On Life and Fire Policies,	5	2					7	5								1	1			1	8
Other Suits, viz.—																					
Fishery,	1		1				2													1	2
Conspiracy,	1						1					1		1							2
Non attendance on a Subpœna to give Evidence,	1						1	1													1
Action against Sheriff,		1					1				1										1
Collision of Two Vessels,			1				1	1													1
TOTAL,	115	159	131	1			382	216	2	10	61	22	9	[5]	7	9	4		5	31	387

10 PROCEEDINGS ON CIRCUIT.—TABLE III. NATURE of the CAUSES TRIED on CIRCUIT and the Class of Amounts and Total Amount recovered in the Year 1871, compiled from Returns made by JUDGES REGISTRARS with Business on the Leinster Summer Circuit from one REGISTRAR,* from Statistics for 1870.

NATURE OF THE SUITS TRIED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN COURT	Total Number of Verdicts for Plaintiff	NUMBER OF EACH CLASS OF AMOUNTS RECOVERED BY VERDICT											Verdict Establishing Right of Plaintiff.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECOVERED BY VERDICT
		Above £5,000.	£3,000 and above £5,000	£2,000 and above £3,000	£1,000 and above £2,000	£500 and above £1,000	£300 and above £500	£200 and above £300	£100 and above £200	£50 and above £100.	£20 and above £50.	£20 and under		£ s. d.
On Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange, &c.	3							2	2	1				487 4 10
On Bonds,														—
For Goods sold and delivered,	14							2	1	3	3	2		684 5 11½
For Work and Labour done,	2								1		1	1		154 0 0
For Money paid, advanced, or lent	4			1			1		1	1				1,469 3 11
For Money received,	8						2		3	3	1			764 17 9
For Compensation for Personal Injuries and Compensation under Lord Campbell's Act	9		2		2		1	2	1		1			1,868 7 10
For Compensation for other Injuries from Negligence,	7						2	2	1	1	1			1,048 3 3
Replevin or Actions in respect of Distress	1									1				58 3 11
Actions in the Nature of Actions of Trover or Detinue,	7							1	1		4	1		330 17 6
For Breach of Contract	11							1	2	3	1	1		527 3 11
Upon Special Contracts,	1										1			6 16 9
For Breach of Warranty,														—
For Infringement of Patent or Copy Right,	1								1					103 3 3
For Recovery of Land (Ejectments)	69							2	2	3	22	40		531 12 3
Trespass relative to Land or Houses, including Right of Way, Waste, &c.	33								2	1	16	4		229 6 6
Questions on Wills,	1											1		—
For Breach of Promise of Marriage,	1		1				1		1	2	2			5,805 0 3
Seduction	4							1		1	2			445 0 0
Libel	6									1	2	3		175 3 6½
Slander	4										1	3		74 3 6
Malicious Prosecution,	1											1		10 0 0
False Imprisonment,	2										1	1		65 3 3
Assault	8									1		7	1	25 0 7½
Interpleader Issues														
From Courts of Equity														—
From Court of Probate	1						1							250 3 3
In other Cases,	1											1		—
Nuisance,	1											1		
For Breach of Covenant,	1													16 0 3
For Recovery of Rent,	7		1				2	1		2	1			3,622 7 0
On Life and Fire Policies,	5				1	1	2		1					1,444 3 3
Other Suits														—
Non attendance on Subpœna to give Evidence,	1								1					60 3 6
Collision of Two Vessels	1								1					62 1 3
TOTAL,	216		2	2	1	2	2	12	14	24	32	70	33	26,089 12 1½

* *Vide* note on page 215

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11 PROCEEDINGS ON CIRCUIT.—TABLE IV. APPEALS from CHAIRMEN of COUNTIES and RECORDERS in 1871, from RETURNS made by CLERKS of the PEACE, and REGISTRARS of RECORDERS.

COUNTIES AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS ARRANGED IN CIRCUITS	Appeals from Chairmen of Counties: Entered	Heard: Affirmed.	Heard: Varied or Reversed.	Struck out, Withdrawn, or Settled
From Chairmen				
Home Circuit				
Carlow,	2	1	1	
Kildare,	4	2	1	1
King's County,	3	2		1
Meath,	11	8	1	2
Queen's County,				
Westmeath,	1		1	
Total,	21	13	4	4
Leinster Circuit				
Kilkenny,				
Tipperary, North Riding, / Tipperary, South Riding,	18	12	3	3
Waterford,	12	6	2	4
Wexford,	5	3	1	1
Wicklow,	1		1	
Total,	36	21	7	8
Munster Circuit				
Clare,	42	21	13	8
Cork, East Riding	27	18	3	6a
Cork, West Riding,	6		2	4
Kerry,	14	8	6	3
Limerick,	21	14	4	3
Total,	110	56	33	22
North East Circuit:				
Antrim (1870),	18	7	5	6
Armagh	53	16	18	19
Down (approximated by adding 50 per cent. to Armagh)	79	21	27	26
Louth	10			
Monaghan,	7	5	2	
Total,	160	52	52	53

COUNTIES AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS, ARRANGED IN CIRCUITS.	Appeals from Chairmen of Counties: Entered.	Heard: Affirmed.	Heard: Varied or Reversed.	Struck out, Withdrawn, or Settled.
North West Circuit				
Cavan,	3	3		
Donegal,	12	6		5
Fermanagh,	6	6	2	1
Londonderry (1870),	16	8	3	5
Longford,	2	1	1	
Tyrone,	33	23	7	3
Total,	72	45	13	12
Connaught Circuit:				
Galway,	3	0	1	2
Leitrim,	3	0	1	1
Mayo,	27	9	11	5
Roscommon,	3	2	1	
Sligo,	6	4	3	1
Total,	52	26	17	12
Appeals from Recorders.				
From Recorders.				
Belfast North East Circuit,	14	9	2	3
Cork City (1866) Munster Circuit,	4	1	1	2
Galway Town Connaught Circuit,				
Londonderry City, North-West Circuit,	5	1	1	3
Total,	23	11	4	8
Total of Ireland,	473b	223	120	110

a Including one case not yet settled.

b The Clerk of the Peace does not state how the two cases entered at Louth were disposed of in Court.

12 PROCEEDINGS ON CIRCUIT.—TABLE V. PROCEEDINGS with regard to Fiscal Business specially submitted to JUDGE of ASSIZE, RAILWAY TRAVERSES, and APPEALS from Persons Fined for Non-Attendance as JURORS, from RETURNS made by CLERKS OF THE CROWN for the Year 1871.

	Specially Submitted. On Objection of Case-payer: Fixed notwithstanding Objection: Number.	Amount.	Not Fixed in consequence of Objection: Number	Amount.	On Traverse: Granted: Number	Amount.	Disallowed: Number	Amount.	Railway Traverses: Fined by Verdicts: Number.	Amount.	Appeals from Persons fined for Non-attendance as Jurors: Number: Lodged.	Heard	In which there was no appearance.	Amount imposed in Fines
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.				£ s. d.
Home Circuit														
King's County,	2	350 0 0	.	—		—	.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Meath	.	—		—		—	.	—	1	130 0 0	—	—	—	—
Westmeath,	.	—		—	.	—	.	—	—	—	45	45		51 0 5
Leinster Circuit														
Wexford,		—	.	—		—		—	6	1,310 17 1		.	.	—
Munster Circuit														
Cork,	.	—	.	—		—	1	a	—	—	.	.	.	—
Cork City,	.	—		—		—		—	1	650 0 0	2	2	.	20 0 0
Kerry,	2	178 0 0	.	—		—		—		—	.	.		
North-East Circuit														
Antrim,		—		—		—	1	258 17 6		—				—
Carrickfergus Town,		—	.	—		—	1	142 15 0		—	.	.		—
North-West Circuit														
Donegal,	4	500 0 0	1	1,000 5 3		—	.	—	.	—	—	—		—
Londonderry (County and City),	1	110 0 0		—		—	.	—	.	—	—	—	.	—
Longford		—	1	14 7 6		—		—	.	—	.	.		—
Tyrone,	.	—	.	—	1	14 5 6		—	.	—	.	.	.	—
Connaught Circuit														
Mayo,	1	500 0 0	.	—		—		—		—	.			—
Total of 314 Counties,	10	1,638 0 0	2	1 014 7 0	3	407 12 6	1	a	7	1,610 17 1	47	47		74 0 5

a Amount not stated.

b No return from 11 Counties and Ridings as to which information is supplied in the following Table, in brackets. Nil returns for the remaining 13 Counties

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13. PROCEEDINGS ON CIRCUIT.—TABLE VI.—PROCEEDINGS of JUDGE in connexion with FISCAL BUSINESS of GRAND JURIES, TRAVERSES and GRAND JURY.

COUNTIES AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS, ARRANGED IN CIRCUITS.	Claims for Malicious Injuries other than Murder, &c. under 28th Section of Peace Preservation Act, 1816.									
	Submitted to Presentment Sessions.				Submitted to Grand Jury				Total Fixed by Judge on Circuit	
	Approved		Disapproved.		Presented		Disallowed			
	Number	Amount.	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount.	Number	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Home Circuit										
Carlow,	2	28 15 0	6	478 0 0	2	20 15 0	6	476 0 0		–
Kildare,	7	76 3 6	5	120 12 6	10	123 15 0	2	66 0 0		–
Kings's County,	6	104 12 6	2	579 3 11	11	135 2 6	5	573 9 11	6	58 0 0
Meath	6	268 10 0	3	117 6 6	5	270 0 6	4	121 10 0	5	270 0 0
Queen's County,	5	26 5 0	6	411 10 6	6	290 17 6	2	10 0 0		–
Westmeath,	10	175 0 6	9	272 17 6	10	175 0 6	6	272 17 6	10	275 0 0
Total,	42	1,281 6 3	34	1,677 6 5	47	1,630 10 6	31	1,520 17 5	27	1,143 0 0
Leinster Circuit										
Kilkenny,	6	301 10 0	–	–	6	301 10 0	–	–	6	301 10 0
Kilkenny City,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tipperary North Riding,	6	61 7 3	5	308 10 6	10	140 7 9	–	–	–	–
Tipperary South Riding,	14	210 5 6	5	86 10 6	14	211 5 6	–	–	14	283 5 5
Waterford,	11	611 14 6	4	45 6 0	11	404 7 6	–	–	14	908 7 6
Waterford City,	–	–	1	60 0 0	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wexford,	11	675 6 0	4	162 0 0	10	458 10 0	2	120 0 0	14	411 11 0
Wicklow,	4	221 15 6	2	315 0 0	6	303 4 3	–	–	–	–
Total,	57	1,789 15 6	21	530 9 0	63	2,003 4 9	2	120 0 0	51	1,377 13 5
Munster Circuit										
Clare	10	93 10 0	3	34 6 0	6	93 10 0	4	35 10 0	10	93 10 0
Cork,	40	1,535 1 6	12	– c	64	1,610 17 6	–	– c	40	1,610 17 6
Cork City	b	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kerry,	15	672 10 0	4	571 6 6	15	680 6 6	–	–	15	550 0 0
Limerick,	22	730 6 6	6	608 10 0	23	691 17 6	–	186 12 6	–	–
Limerick City	1	5 0 0	–	–	1	5 0 0	–	–	–	–
Total,	87	3,116 10 6	23	1,205 12 6	112	3,083 4 6	4	224 2 6	71	2,291 7 6
North East Circuit										
Antrim,	6	304 14 7	1	6 0 0	8	304 14 7	1	5 0 0	8	295 7 9
Armagh	14	111 3 3	4	58 0 0	c	– c	c	– c	14	187 13 0
Carrickfergus Town,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Down,	b	– b	3	– b	b	– b	b	– b	b	– b
Louth,	6	– c	7	– c	6	132 16 1	c	– c	5	81 0 0
Drogheda Town,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Monaghan,	6	371 0 0	3	75 0 0	6	205 5 0	2	102 15 0	5	287 0 0
Total,	32	786 17 10	15	135 0 0	25	642 15 8	6	107 15 0	32	711 0 9
North West Circuit										
Cavan,	5	87 0 0	2	20 0 0	5	102 0 0	2	20 0 0	–	–
Donegal,	10	250 10 6	5	347 0 6	16	255 15 6	6	70 0 0	10	255 15 5
Fermanagh,	1	5 0 0	–	–	b	– c	c	– c	–	–
Londonderry (County and City),	24	356 15 0	5	149 0 0	1	110 0 0	–	–	1	110 0 0
Longford,	5	197 0 6	4	46 2 0	6	112 0 6	2	24 0 0	5	112 0 6
Tyrone	9	212 0 0	3	64 0 0	9	220 2 0	–	–	5	209 0 0
Total,	62	1,088 0 11	19	626 2 6	39	799 18 5	8	130 0 0	35	686 18 5
Connaught Circuit										
Galway,	10	93 11 3	4	323 0 0	10	86 1 6	2	20 0 0	–	–
Galway Town,	1	2 0 0	2	580 0 0	5	132 0 0	–	–	–	–
Leitrim,	10	80 0 0	2	10 0 0	7	48 10 0	5	21 10 0	–	–
Mayo,	12	214 5 7	6	164 12 0	13	263 0 7	6	95 12 0	13	620 5 7
Roscommon,	7	84 14 6	1	10 15 6	7	94 14 6	–	–	7	94 14 6
Sligo,	9	121 10 0	0	152 0 0	8	105 0 0	7	148 17 6	6	67 10 0
Total,	52	596 7 7	24	1,229 17 0	49	1,126 10 7	22	285 19 6	30	781 10 1
Total of Ireland, b	649	9,822 7 4	144	6 602 7 5	334	9,191 14 1	66	2,453 14 5	– c	– c

a Not stated in Return.

b No Returns have been received from 2 Secretaries of Grand Juries—Cork City and Down.

c No returns have been received as to the fiat of presentments from 11 Clerks of the Crown, and there is no means of supplying the defect by estimate. The total is omitted.

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of PRESENTMENTS, and CLAIMS for MALICIOUS INJURIES (other than Murder, Maiming, &c), with PRIOR PROCEEDINGS at PRESENTMENT SESSIONS in the Year 1871.

PRESENTMENTS other than for MALICIOUS INJURIES or MURDER, &c., under 30TH SECTION of PEACE PRESERVATION ACT, 1870										Total Claims and Presentments of all kinds Plated by Judge on Circuit.		COUNTIES AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS, ARRANGED IN CIRCUITS.
Submitted to Presentment Sessions.				Submitted to Grand Jury				Total Plated by Judge on Circuit.				
Approved.		Disapproved		Presented.		Disallowed.						
Number	Amount.	Number	Amount.	Number	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number	Amount.	Number	Amount.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
												HOME CIRCUIT:
2	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	615	10,822 6 11	615	14,822 6 11	Carlow
616	4,280 3 6	58	1 852 12 2	611	4,218 2 3	1	7 1 6		—	[1,404	29 511 4 1]	Kildare.
222	6 985 14 6	6	— 6	347	14,441 12 10	7	125 12 6	692	28 621 6 11	820 c	29 835 6 11 c	King's County
1 586	24,205 6 2	26	262 11 7	1,712	29,450 6 4	25	1,346 12 2	1,148	29,386 6 1	1 786	30 256 6 1	Meath
944	21,380 16 4	—	—	914	24,228 1 1	3	15 16 4		—	[1,452 b	25 314 18 4]	Queen's County
1 119	11,113 3 6	116	— 6	1,302	13,801 16 6	6	115 7 6	1 502	18,061 16 3	1 814 d	28 261 16 3 d	Westmeath
4,242	88,544 7 6	202	1,016 15 6	4,653	61,184 19 6	45	1,580 16 11	4,174	84,383 10 2	7,321	132,637 18 7	Total
												LEINSTER CIRCUIT:
245	3,620 5 2	—	—	245	2,526 5 2	—	—	1,854	20,115 18 10	1,993	20,411 3 10	Kilkenny
	—	—	—		—	—	—	2	2,115 1 5½	2	2 113 1 5½	Kilkenny City
1 339	86,988 0 1	— 6	— 6	1,816	31,401 11 4	36	773 4 6		—	[1,210 b	30 443 4 4½]	Tipperary, North Riding
1,109	33,238 19 11	— 6	— 6	1,215	65,675 15 5	18	332 6 1	1,283	35 314 0 3	1,248 c	36 317 10 11 c	Tipperary, South Riding
269	6 985 11 2	72	4,940 16 0	187	6,228 11 8	23	1,765 19 11	1,106	23 433 5 3	1,210	24 333 12 3	Waterford
4	291 10 0	—	—	116	3,816 16 5	—	—	110	4 552 15 0	116	3 552 15 0	Waterford City
2127	24,602 1 0	147	3,842 6 2	1,905	35,041 6 6	222	2 432 13 3	1,111	66,640 18 0	1 184	35,816 10 6	Wexford
348	9,262 11 6	85	1,664 16 6	434	14 036 19 11	16	446 2 11		—	[1,407 b	21,455 6 5]	Wicklow
5,436	116,731 3 11	304	9,453 6 11	5,411	123,516 3 2	316	5,151 12 11	5,596	125,516 0 5½	8,451	179,862 0 3½	Total
												MUNSTER CIRCUIT:
313	14,453 3 4	67	0 729 5 0	1 495	32,004 6 6	89	2,309 16 2	1,465	89,580 6 6	1 495	36,077 10 6	Clare
903	— 6	6	— 6	4,262	83,460 10 4	6	— 6	4,362	104 852 15 7	4,846	111 312 12 7	Cork.
	—	—	—		—		—		—		—	Cork City
1 162	29 316 16 1	114	1,085 11 6	1,428	49 590 16 7		—	1,428	46 809 15 7	1 443	41,106 16 7	Kerry
114	—	36	—	1,187	37 786 6 6	—	—	—	—	[1,106 b	46 803 6 10]	Limerick
88	5,240 12 4½	—	—	80	5,240 12 4½	—	—	—	—	[11 b	4261 14 1½]	Limerick City
2 801	49,070 6 6½	208	4,184 16 0	8 021	208,225 6 8½	56	2 309 16 2	7,215	189,851 12 6	8 120	231 414 3 10½	Total
												NORTH EAST CIRCUIT:
612	22,671 6 4	124	14,486 6 0	2,002	50,056 18 7	62	6,849 17 9	2 662	50,056 18 7	2,169	59,294 6 4	Antrim
6	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	2,811	28,761 6 3	2,631	28 922 1 3	Armagh
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	103	2 216 5 4	109	2 276 5 4	Carrickfergus Town
b	— b	b	— b	b	— b	b	— b	b	— b	[3,576 b	54 168 6 6½]	Down.
156	— 6	24	— 6	361	17,310 6 6	3	101 11 6	163	8,898 16 6	185	8,588 13 5	Louth
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	62	1,215 2 0	32	1 276 6 6	Drogheda Town
366	6,615 14 0	141	7,034 16 0	482	12,665 15 6	25	382 14 6	596	17,226 10 6	695	16,613 10 3 c	Monaghan
1,431	24,101 0 4	283	21 515 6 0	2,955	80,234 14 10	36	7,375 3 11	5 614	114,431 0 1	3,411	115 424 15 6½	Total.
												NORTH WEST CIRCUIT:
6	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	1 306	23,616 6 5	1,309	23 616 0 5	Cavan
1 445	24,211 6 9	156	5,129 12 3	3 669	46,332 16 2	14	286 15 0	3 526	46,332 16 2	3,609	49 668 13 11 h	Donegal
248	4,720 2 4	22	263 4 10	248	4720 5 4	—	—		—	[1,226 b	23,331 7 31	Fermanagh
312	1,591 17 6	70	4,618 1 0	1,491	41 428 6 6	36	866 6 6	1 486	41 426 6 0	1,481	41 435 6 6	Londonderry (County & City)
263	4 535 16 4	—	—	956	12,261 1 6	26	284 11 6	956	12,201 1 6	954	12 013 2 4	Longford.
443	—	108	— 6	1 940	25 945 16 6	6	414 10 2	2,506	59,860 4 1	2,804	61 006 7 1	Tyrone.
3,244	41,124 13 9	402	10,267 18 7	7,323	185,826 4 2	12	1,857 6 6	9 833	176 360 16 4	11,261	266 203 6 6	Total
												CONNAUGHT CIRCUIT:
456	15,366 10 6	41	850 5 0	2,456	86,103 5 6	15	283 15 0	—	—	[2 344 b	83,425 6 6]	Galway
6	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	—	—	[362 b	4 959 7 0]	Galway Town
81	1,055 0 3	26	— 6	70	965 19 0	2	24 7 6	—	—	[322 b	13 886 6 2]	Leitrim
284	6,058 7 0	118	4,544 1 6	6	— 6	6	— 6	1,403	35,965 6 11	1 416	34,464 1s 6 g	Mayo.
163	— 6	63	— 6	185	— 6	6	— 6	1,743	31 927 1 4	1,743	32,001 15 10	Roscommon.
265	4,155 2 3	20	2382 0 0	260	4,552 12 5	33	1,265 13 16	338	22 564 1 16	597	24,412 11 10	Sligo
1 288	61,036 6 2	267	7,705 6 6	3,116	42,292 10 6	76	1,835 16 4	9,034	76,416 19 1	5,832	163,464 2 10	Total
— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	— h	TOTAL OF IRELAND

a Not stated in Return. b No Return for 1811, but figures of latest Returns inserted as an estimate. c Including £350 for two cases under the Peace Preservation Act—see Table 2
d Including £1 125 for two cases under the Peace Preservation Act—see Table 2 e Including £800 for one case under the Peace Preservation Act—see Table 2
f Including £800 for four cases under the Peace Preservation Act—see Table 2 g Including £1 326 for three cases under the Peace Preservation Act—see Table 2.
h The totals are not given, as many returns are deficient. Even the Circuit totals are unsatisfactory in many of the columns.

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14. PROCEEDINGS ON CIRCUIT—TABLE VII PROCEEDINGS of JUDGE in connexion with CLAIMS for MURDER, MAIMING, &c.,* with preliminary proceedings before GRAND JURY in 1871, from Returns by Secretaries of GRAND JURIES and CLERKS of the CROWN.

COUNTIES.	Submitted to Grand Jury: Presented. Number	Presented. Amount.	Disallowed. Number	Disallowed. Amount.	Submitted to Judge on Circuit: Passed without Objection or Traverse. Number	Passed without Objection or Traverse. Amount.	Passed on Objection or Traverse. Number	Passed on Objection or Traverse. Amount.	Total Passed. Number.	Total Passed. Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
King's County,	2	250 0 0	—	—	—	—	2	250 0 0	2	250 0 0
Westmeath,	2	1,125 0 0	—	—	2	1,125 0 0	—	—	2	1,125 0 0
Tipperary North Riding,	1	500 0 0	—	—	—	(No Return from Clerk of Crown.)	—	—	—	—
Tipperary South Riding	2	900 0 0	—	—	1	500 0 0	—	—	1	500 0 0
Limerick,	1	500 0 0	1	500 0 0	—	(No Return from Clerk of Crown.)	—	—	—	—
Armagh,	2	100 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monaghan,	1	†500 0 0	—	—	1	500 0 0	—	—	1	500 0 0
Donegal,	0	000 0 0	1	1,000 0 0	—	—	4	500 0 0	4	500 0 0
Leitrim,	1	500 0 0	—	—	—	(No Return from Clerk of Crown.)	—	—	—	—
Mayo,	3	1,630 0 0	—	—	2	1,300 0 0	1	330 0 0	3	1,630 0 0
Total‡,	10	6,035 0 0	2	1,500 0 0	6	3,425 0 0	7	1,580 0 0	13	4,805 0 0

* Under Peace Preservation Act, 1870 sec. 39 † No return from Secretary of Grand Jury, but it is obvious from return of Clerk of the Crown that at least this sum must have been presented.
‡ 2 Secretaries of Grand Juries and 11 Clerks of the Crown have made no returns, 9 Secretaries of Grand Juries and 6 Clerks of the Crown have made the returns in the above Table the other Secretaries of Grand Juries and Clerks of the Crown have made nil returns.

15 PROCEEDINGS as to ELECTION PETITIONS—Table of Petitions lodged in 1871, made by the MASTER of the COURT of COMMON PLEAS

No Petitions lodged in 1871

16. RETURN of CASES of MINOR IMPORTANCE remitted from SUPERIOR COURTS of COMMON LAW to CIVIL BILL COURTS, under Stat. 33 & 34 Vic., cap 109, secs. 5 and 6, for the year 1871, made by the CLERK of the ROLLS

PROCEEDINGS UNDER STAT 33 & 34 VIC CAP. 109.	Queen's Bench. Before single Judge.	Queen's Bench. Before Court in Banco.	Common Pleas. Before single Judge	Common Pleas. Before Court in Banco.	Exchequer Before single Judge.	Exchequer Before Court in Banco	From three Courts Before single Judge	From three Courts Before Court in Banco.	Total.
Number of Applications to refer Cases of Contract to Civil Bill Court (sec. 5),	23	11	10	7	12	10	46	34	70
Applications granted,	22	5	8	6	9	12	39	23	62
" refused,	1	6	2	1	3	4	6	11	17
Number of Applications to refer cases of Tort to Civil Bill Court (sec. 6),	22	27	12	7	22	24	56	58	114
Applications granted,	15	16	10	5	15	14	42	37	80
" refused,	7	6	2	2	4	10	13	21	34
Number of Applications granted under sec. 8,	15	16	10	5	32	.	57	23	80
Giving Security for costs and continuing in Superior Courts,	4	—	—	—	3	.	7	—	7
Failing to give Security, and so remitted,	11	15	10	5	29	.	50	23	73

HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—1. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the LORD CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARY, made by the LORD CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARY, and in the OFFICE of the SECRETARY at the ROLLS, made by the SECRETARY at the ROLLS, for Year ended 1st November, 1871.

Proceedings in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary	Number
Petitions in Lunacy,	193
" in Minors,	320
" in other Matters,	220
Total,	733
Chamber Fiats in Lunacy,	109
" in Minor Matters,	251
" in other Matters,	10
Orders for Hearing in Lunacy,	23
" in Minor Matters,	70
" in other Matters,	50
Petitions referred in Master of the Rolls,	77
" to Vice-Chancellor,	75
Total Number of Petitions,	733
Warrants for Commissions of the Peace,	140
Warrants as to Coroners,	1
Other Warrants to the Hanaper Office,	17
Commissions of Delegates,	—
Warrants for Appointment of Commissioners Extraordinary in England,	4
Warrants of Appointment of Commissioners Extraordinary in Ireland,	32
Dockets for Enrolment of Decrees in Chancery,	15
Caveats,	3
Commissions of Lunacy,	10
Number of Minor Matters at end of year,	421
Number of Wards of Court at end of year,	992

Proceedings in the Office of the Secretary at the Rolls	Number
PETITIONS	
In Minor Matters,	—
Under Public Works and Railway Acts,	38
Under Trustee Acts, 1850 and 1852,	26
Under Trustee Relief Act (52 Geo. III., c. 101)	—
Under Trustee Relief Act (11 & 12 Vic., c. 68)	12
Under Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act 1860,	—
Under Renewable Leasehold Conversion Act,	2
Under Winding-up Acts,	1
Under Infants' Settlements Acts (18 & 19 Vic., c. 43, and 23 & 24 Vic., c. 83),	3
Under 2 & 4 Vic., c. 105 for Charging Orders,	—
Under Solicitors Act (12 & 13 Vic. c. 53),	—
For Receiver under Tithe-Rentcharge Act (5 & 9 Vic., c. 100),	—
For Receiver under Drainage and Public Works Act,	—
In other Matters,	5
Total Number of Petitions,	89

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HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—2 RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the REGISTRAR in LUNACY for the Year ended 31st of December, 1871, made by the CHIEF CLERK

PROCEEDINGS.	Number	Amount.	PROCEEDINGS	Number	Amount
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Number of Lunatics under Court 31st December, 1870,	184	—	Number of Applications for Reports of Medical Visitors,	169	—
Orders for Commission of Lunacy,	3	—	Medical Visitors' Reports,	163	—
Orders for protecting Property of Lunatics not found so by Inquisition,	—	—	Certificates of Medical Visitors' Fees,	162	—
Reports of Master to Lord Chancellor,	56	—	Amount of Medical Visitors' Fees,	—	226 5 0
Recognizances as security for Committees and Receivers of Lunatics' Estates,	9	—	Returns received from Clerks of Petty Sessions as to Dangerous Lunatics		
Orders by Lord Chancellor,	161	—	from 1st July to 31st December, 1871,	400	—
Accounts of Committees and Receivers taken and passed by Masters,	81	—	Returns received from Inspectors of Lunatic Asylums as to Persons admitted		
Amount of Receipts on such Accounts,	—	73,131 6 3	into Private Lunatic Asylums from 1st July to 31st December, 1871,	65	—
Amount of Disbursements (other than Investments),	—	63,852 12 6	Returns received from Proprietors of Private Lunatic Asylums,	65	—
Amount of Investments,	—	6,486 18 6	Returns of Cessor of Detentions,	16	—
Affidavits filed,	232	—	Returns received from Resident Medical Superintendents of District Lunatic		
Lunatic Trustee Cases,	—	—	Asylums,	19	—
Number of Applications for Returns from Committee of Persons,	149	—	Orders issued	232	—
Committee of Person Returns received,	118	—	Attested Copies of other Documents issued,	402	—
Number of Applications for Returns from Committee of Estate,	120	—	Number of Lunatics under Court, 31st December, 1871,	168	—
Committee of Estate Returns received,	27	—			

HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—3 RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the CROWN and HANAPER OFFICE for the Year ended 1st November, 1871, made by the CLERK of the CROWN and HANAPER.

PROCEEDINGS.	Number.	PROCEEDINGS.	Number
Patents for appointment of Peers,	—	Writs for the Election of Members of Parliament,	7
Patents connected with appointments in the Established Church, to 31st Dec., 1870,	1	Writs for the Election of Representative Peers,	269
Patents for appointment and administering Oaths to Lords Justices in absence of Lord Lieutenant,	16	Exemplification of Orders to Lord Chancellor of England, Transmitting Records to Queen's Bench, &c.,	1
Patents connected with the appointments of the Lord Chancellor, Judges, Law Officers &c.	5	Elections held for the Return of Representative Peers,	1
Patent appointing Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum for the several Counties in Ireland,	7	Number of persons to whom Oaths were administered by the Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper before Lord Chancellor	44
Patents granting Charters, Fairs and Markets, Licence for Theatres, and other Patents not enumerated in the foregoing,	36	Entering Rules and Orders on Seal of Proceedings at the Petty Bag Side of the Court of Chancery,	10
Commissions of Assize and Commissions relating thereto,	46	Writs, Scire facias and other Documents,	246
Commissions of Delegates,	1	Searches and Certificates,	32
Commissions of Lunacy	7	Proclamations,	8
Commissions appointing Commissioners for administering Oaths in Chancery	26	Special Commissions of Oyer and Terminer,	—
Commissions connected with the appointment or superseding of Justices of the Peace,	176	Enrolling Judgments,	1
Dedimuses to Swear in Justices of the Peace, &c.,	265	Notary Public,	9
Attested Copies of all Documents registered in Office,	1,251		
Writs of Scire facias, Ne exeat Regno, and other Writs,	8	Total,	2,444

HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—4 RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the CHAMBERS of the LORD CHANCELLOR, MASTER of the ROLLS, and VICE CHANCELLOR, for year ended 1st November, 1871, made by the CHIEF CLERKS to the JUDGES.

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL		LORD CHANCELLOR		MASTER OF THE ROLLS.		VICE-CHANCELLOR CHATTERTON	
	Number	Amount.	Number	Amount.	Number	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Number issued of Summonses to originate Proceedings, viz.:—								
For the Administration of Estates,	128	—		—	67	—	61	—
Under the Charitable Trusts Act,	—	—		—	—	—	—	—
For the Appointment of Guardians and Maintenance of Infants,	47	—	47	—	—	—	—	—
For other purposes,	177	—	177	—	—	—	—	—
Number issued of Summonses, not being Summonses to originate Proceedings,	1,344	—	224	—	532	—	588	—
Number of Orders made, viz.:—								
Of the class drawn up by the Registrars,	31	—	31	—	—	—	—	—
Of the class drawn up in Chambers,	890	—	180	—	411	—	317	—
Number of Orders brought into Chambers for prosecution, other than Orders for winding up Companies,	289	—	143	—	97	—	58	—
Number of Orders brought into Chambers for winding up Companies,	3	—	—	—	2	—	1	—
Number of Advertisements issued,	171	—	11	—	16	—	64	—
Number of Debts claimed and adjudicated on,	809	—	—	—	426	—	331	—
Amount of Debts proved,	—	327,902 4 8½	—	—	—	69,246 0 7	—	228,655 16 1½
Number of Contributories included in Lists of Contributories,	67	—	—	—	—	—	67	—
Number of Contributories excluded from Lists of Contributories,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of Calls made under the Act for winding up Companies,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount of Dividends ordered to be paid to Creditors,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount ordered to be refunded to Contributories,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of Accounts passed other than Receiver's Accounts,	102	—	11	—	23	—	68	—
Amount of Receipts therein,	—	182,268 17 10	—	12,083 4 4	—	24 045 11 5	—	66 136 2 1
Amount of Disbursements and Allowances therein,	—	85,028 0 4	—	11,284 6 10	—	10,302 3 10	—	59,466 12 6
Number of Receiver's Accounts passed,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount of Receipts therein,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount of Disbursements and Allowances therein,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of Receiver's and other Accounts referred to Receiver Master,	18	—	18	—	—	—	2	—
Number of Sales of Estates under Orders of Court,	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,050 0
Amount realized by Sales of Estates,	—	1 950 0 0	—	—	—	—	2	—
Number of Purchases of Estates under Orders of Court,	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of Questions and other Matters referred to Landed Estates Court,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of Certificates filed,	168	—	11	—	95	—	62	—
Number of Appointments (by Summonses, Adjournment, or otherwise) disposed of,	4,937	—	676	—	1,634	—	1,766	—
Number of Orders under which Accounts and Inquiries were pending on 1st November, 1871,	229	—	72	—	109	—	59	—
Number of Orders for winding up Companies then pending,	14	—	—	—	8	—	6	—
Amount of Fees collected in Chambers by Stamps	—	823 17 0	187 6 8	—	—	527 12 6	—	658 18 0
Number of Petitions examined and noted,	304	—	684	—	—	—	—	—
Number of Days sitting in Court or Chamber Registrar,	30	—	66	—	—	—	—	—

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HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—5. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the CLERK of RECORDS and WRITS, for the Year ended 1st November, 1871, made by the CLERK of RECORDS and WRITS.

NATURE OF PROCEEDING		Original Courts: Lord Chancellor	Original Courts: Master of the Rolls	Original Courts: Vice-Chancellor Chatterton	Total
1 Suits Instituted:					
Bills or Informations filed		36	164	195	395
Under full scale of Fees collected by Stamps,	227				
Under other scale,	138				
Claims filed under any General Order,*					
Special Cases filed under Statute,†					
Administration Summonses filed,					117
Other Originating Summonses,					
					Number
2 Proceedings in Suits by Bills or Informations:					
Copies of Bills or Informations sealed for service,					1,095
Supplemental Statements,					
Interrogatories filed viz					
By Plaintiffs,					157
By Defendants					4
Copies of Interrogatories sealed for service,					483
Copies of Answers sealed,					267
Appearances entered					
Pleas filed					
Answers filed,					267
Demurrers filed,					3
Disclaimers filed ‡					
Exceptions filed,					5
Replications filed					21
Traversing Notes filed,					2
Depositions of Witnesses filed,					
Attachments and Distringases for want of Appearance or Answer,					21
					2,40
3 Proceedings in Suits by Claim:					
Copies of Claims sealed for service,					
Appearances entered,					
4 Proceedings in Suits by Summons:					
Summonses lodged					117
Copies of Summonses sealed for service,					367
Appearances entered §					
					488
5 Proceedings in Special Cases:					
Number of Cases,					
Appearances entered,					

NATURE OF PROCEEDING			Number
6. General Proceedings:			
Caveats entered,			
Decrees and Orders enrolled			
Memorandums entered of Service of Notice of Decree,			112
Writs of Injunction issued,			32
Writs of Distringas issued,			
Writs of Subpœna			
Writs of Attachment,			31
Writs of Sequestration,			102
Writs of Sale facias			
Writs of Decima postea stetur,			
Writs of Supersedeas,			
Commission of Perambulation,			
Writs of Habeas Corpus			
Writs of Fieri facias,			
Writs of Elegit,			13
Writs of Venditioni exponas,			
Original Writs to keep a Bill or Note within the statute,			1
Writs of False Judgment,			
Writs of Dower,			
Writs of Partition			
Writs of Quare Impedit,			
Writs of Error			
Petitions filed of Revivor or Supplemental,			1
Affidavits filed			3
Reports filed			6 400
Accounts filed,			
			7 253
7 Amount of Receipts on such Accounts		£ (a)	
,, Disbursements and Allowances thereon,		£ (a)	
8. Notice Department:			
Notices left for service (copies),			10 000
Summonses left for service			4 000
Orders left for service			1 021
	Total,		15 809
Persons served,			10,502
9 Recognizance Department:			
Recognizances filed			
Liquidators,			1
Receivers,			66
Guardians of Minors,			1
Committee of Lunatics,			1
Sequestration, &c.,			2
Security for Costs,			1
Vacates			
Searches,			2 663
Certificates of Vacates,			105
Copies of Documents,			247
To Refund Stock and Cash,			1,200
			4 286
10 Fees:			
Estimated amount of Fees for Filing, £3 463; for Scrivenery, £3 209, total £6 672.			

* See Number of Affidavits filed. † Included in Bills ‡ Included in answers. § Included in Appearances above

a Not returned for 1871; the amounts for 1869 were—Receipts £903,280 and Disbursements £741 558

HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—6 RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL for the Year ended 1st October, 1871.

Cash Securities, and other Effects paid and transferred	Into Court.	Out of Court.
Cash Government New £3 per cent Stock, Government £3 per cent. Consols, Bank of Ireland Stock Government £3 per cent Reduced Annuities Exchequer Bills,	No information	No information

Other Proceedings in the Office	Number	Amount
Total Cheques signed,	4,288	£ s d.
Amount of Cash Securities, and other effects carried over in the Accountant-General's books, being the balance of year ended 1st October, 1870,		4,343,631 0 3
Powers of Attorney issued viz. —		
Impressed with 5s stamps, 103		
,, with 10s. ,, 305	490	
,, with 20s. ,, 22		
,, with 30s ,, 16		
,, without stamps,	None	
Total number of Accounts,	4,550	
Amount of Fees Collected,	None	

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HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—7. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the REGISTRARS for the Year ended 1st November, 1871, made by the REGISTRARS.

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL.	APPEAL COURT	ORIGINAL COURTS.		
		Lord Chancellor and Lord Justices of Appeal	Lord Chancellor	Master of the Rolls.	Vice-Chancellor
1 NUMBER OF BILLS AND INFORMATIONS:—					
Awaiting a hearing at the commencement of the year,	55		3	36	24
Set down for hearing during the year,	246		11	123	112
Heard during the year	225		3	109	113
Otherwise disposed of,	30		0	18	11
Awaiting a hearing at the end of the year,	52		2	34	16
2 NUMBER OF CAUSE PETITIONS:—					
Awaiting a hearing at the commencement of the year,				1	
Set down for hearing during the year,	16		11	2	3
Heard during the year	9		1	3	4
Otherwise disposed of	9		6		
Awaiting a hearing at the end of the year,					
3 Number of Cause Petitions under the 10th section of the Chancery Regulation Act, set down and heard,					
4 NUMBER OF SPECIAL CASES:—					
Awaiting a hearing at the commencement of the year,					
Set down for hearing during the year,	1			3	1
Heard during the year,	4			3	1
Otherwise disposed of,					
Awaiting a hearing at the end of the year,					
5. NUMBER OF CAUSES, CAUSE PETITIONS, AND OTHER MATTERS FOR FURTHER DIRECTIONS AND FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION:—					
Awaiting a hearing at the commencement of the year,					
Set down for hearing during the year,	45		1	14	30
Heard during the year,	28			6	16
Otherwise disposed of,	4		1	1	2
Awaiting a hearing at the end of the year,	16			4	9
6 NUMBER OF APPEALS FROM MASTERS' DECISIONS UNDER CHANCERY REGULATION ACT:—					
Awaiting a hearing at the commencement of the year,					
Set down for hearing during the year	3			0	
Heard during the year,	3			0	
Otherwise disposed of,					
Awaiting a hearing at the end of the year,					
7 NUMBER OF PETITIONS OF APPEAL SET DOWN FOR HEARING IN CHANCERY APPEAL COURT:—					
From Court of Chancery		22			
From Landed Estates Court,		26			
From Probate Court	49				
From Bankruptcy Court,		1			
From Admiralty Court,					
Petitions of Appeal heard,	36	35			
Otherwise disposed of,	7	7			

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL.	APPEAL COURT	ORIGINAL COURTS.		
		Lord Chancellor and Lord Justices of Appeal	Lord Chancellor	Master of the Rolls.	Vice-Chancellor
8. NUMBER OF OTHER PETITIONS HEARD IN COURT:—					
In Minor Matters,	81		30	1	
Under Railway Acts,	41			26	15
" Trustee Acts, 1850 and 1852,	34			18	16
" Charitable Trusts Act (52 Geo. III., c. 101),	1				1
" Trustee Relief Act (11 & 12 Vic., c. 96),	35			14	23
" Lessee and Sales Act, 1859,	8			4	4
" Renewable Leasehold Conversion Act,	4			2	2
" Winding up Acts,	2			2	
" Infants Settlements Acts,					
" Stat. 3 & 4 Vic., c. 105, for Charging Orders,					
For Receiver under Tithe Rent-charge Act (4 & 5 Vic. c. 109),					
" under Drainage and Public Works Acts,					
" under Solicitors Act (12 & 13 Vic., c. 53),	2			0	
In other matters,	16		2	5	5
Total number of Petitions heard,	226		32	11	10
9 Decrees made on hearing without a reference to a Master,	289	65	5	113	126
" with a reference,					
" otherwise disposed of,					
10. Decretal Orders made on hearing without a reference to a Master,					
" with a reference to a Master,					
" after Report of a Master,	7		2	2	3
" Otherwise disposed of,					
11. Orders on Petition made without a reference to a Master,	186		42	11	13
" with a reference,	13		13		
" after Master's Report,	18		19		
12 Certificates for sale or transfer, or delivery of stock, or other securities,	Accountant-General's Office				
13 Cases standing for Judgment at commencement of year,	7		3	2	2
14. Cases standing for Judgment at end of year	1			1	
15 Number of days each of the Judges sat in Court during the year	1349	50	86	116	167
16. Number of causes transferred from one to the other branch of the Court	518				
17. Judge from whom transferred	5				
18. Judge to whom transferred	5				
19 Number of causes tried by the Court without a Jury,	1				1
" " with a Jury,					
20 Number of Orders made in Court on motions without Petitions,	836	16	6	296	518
21 Number of Orders on Lord Chancellor's Lists in Chamber,	319		219		
22 Total number of Orders drawn up in Registrars Office,	2 417				
23 Number of Drafts of Accountant General countersigned	4,288				
24 Number of Affidavits under Trustee Relief Acts examined on which Orders made,	26				
26 Number of Certificates for Registry of Orders,					
29 Number of Side Bar Orders	811				

a Exclusive of Chamber Days. b Lord Chancellor to Master of the Rolls, 5; to Vice Chancellor, 11. Master of the Rolls to Vice-Chancellor, 1. Vice Chancellor to Master of the Rolls, 1
c Including Side Bar Orders.

HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—8. RETURN made by the OFFICIAL MANAGER and OFFICIAL LIQUIDATORS of the COMPANIES WINDING UP under the JOINT STOCK COMPANIES WINDING-UP ACTS, in the Year 1871

Number and Amount of the Debts claimed and adjudicated on with the Amount of Calls made, and Dividends ordered to be paid to Creditors, the Number of Orders made, and Amount realized by Sales in the matter of the several Companies now winding up under the Joint Stock Companies Winding-up Acts, in the Year 1871	TOTAL.		MASTER OF THE ROLLS.		VICE CHANCELLOR.	
	Number.	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Contributories included in Lists of Contributories,	214	42,281 18 1	13	1,668 0 0	201	40,747 18 1
Contributories excluded from ditto by Chief Clerk,	7	267 10 0	1	200 0 0	6	61 10 0
Debts claimed and adjudicated on	204	21,055 0 0	6	5 166 11 1	196	54,888 14 5
Dividends ordered to be paid to Creditors,	1				1	
Amount ordered to be refunded to Contributories,						
Orders made by Court,	26		6		20	
Realized by Sales,		240 0 0				240 0 0
Receipts and Disbursements by Official Managers or Official Liquidators—						
Receipts:						
Balance of last Account,		1,189 3 1				1,189 3 1
On Calls or by way of Compromise,		333 7 6				333 7 6
Of Assets realized,		3,151 1 1		466 0 6		1,787 1 1
Total Receipts,		6,735 12 2		466 0 6		3,363 12 2
Disbursements and Allowances						
For Salary or Remuneration and for Clerks, Travelling Expenses, &c.,		286 10 6				286 10 6
For Law Expenses,		286 10 5				286 10 5
For Auctioneers and Accountants Charges, and for Sundries,						
For Rents, Taxes, &c.						
Dividends paid to Creditors						
Amount refunded to Contributories,						
Total Disbursements,		443 15 5				443 10 5
Net Balance available for future distribution,		3,291 16 6		466 0 6		2,291 16 6

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HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—9. TABLE of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICES of the MASTERS in CHANCERY for the Year ended 30th October, **1871**, compiled from Returns made by the MASTERS' EXAMINERS

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL.	Master Brooke. Number.	Master Murphy. Number.	Master Fitzgibbon. Number.
Cause Petitions under 15th section of Irish Chancery Regulation Act, 1850				
Awaiting hearing at commencement of year	210		213	
Set down during year,	105	95	10	
Heard during year	105	95	10	
Otherwise disposed of,				
Awaiting hearing at end of year,	209		203	
Orders made on Special Motions	453	199	169	61
,, on Motions of Counsel		199		22
Cause Petitions standing for judgment at commencement of year,				
,, ,, at end of year,				
Charges,	58	10	37	6
Discharges,	45	13	27	5
Summonses,	495	252	239	4
Witnesses examined *viva voce*,	5	3	2	
Summonses for Proceedings				
On references in Minor Matters,	241	121	94	26
,, in Lunacy Matters,	151	81	52	18
,, in General Cause Petitions,	85	50	33	
,, in other Petitions,	31		30	1
Accounts passed,				
By Guardians of Minors,	175	13	18	144
,, Receivers in Minor Matters,			16	
,, Committees of Lunatics	70		8	44
,, Receivers in Lunacy Matters,		18	8	
,, Other Receivers			18	251
Other Accounts,	200	10	6	
Sales of Estates under Order of Court,	2		2	
Purchases of Estates under Order of Court,	1		1	
Leases and other Deeds settled by Master	22	0	20	Cannot state.
Statements of facts as to Management of Property,	140	22	88	110
Reports made	209	55	66	88
Advertisements issued,	5	1	4	
Orders made,	357	105	150	102
Orders drawn up by Master's Registrar				
,, Master's Examiner,				
References pending at end of year	284		284	
Amount of Fees collected by Stamps,	£746 2s. 7½d.	*a*	£240 1os 1½d.	£305 7 8

a No account.

HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—10. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICES of the TAXING MASTERS for the Year **1871**, compiled from Returns made by the TAXING MASTERS

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS	Number of Orders and References	Number of Bills Taxed.	Number of Items in each Class.	Number of Certificates.	Amount of Chancery Fund on Summons and Certificate. £ s. d.	Amount of Costs claimed. £ s. d.	Amount Allowed £ s. d.
IN OFFICE OF MASTER COFFEY							
General Causes under the Court of Chancery Regulation Act, 1850	0	17	2,728	17	80 10 0	4 422 5 0	3,508 5 4
Causes under 15th sec. of the Court of Chancery Regulation Act, 1850,	21	30	1,140	30	118 7 0	5,211 8 2	4,170 16 2
Chancery Appeals,	0	0	401	0	11 0 0	400 0 0	340 2 0
Receivers' Costs	General Orders.	20	1,709	20	23 13 0	477 7 0	395 10 4
Cost of passing Receivers' Accounts,	General Orders.	118	2,859	118	68 18 0	1,884 11 7	1,241 0 5
Minor and Guardian,	38	42	10,915	42	144 10 0	5,778 10 0	5,431 2 6
Lunacy Matters	48	52	8,620	52	101 0 6	4 099 14 4	3,740 2 0
Solicitor and Client on requisition and the Solicitors Act	30	30	17,055	30	213 14 0	9 465 7 4	8,130 4 2
Chancery (Ireland) Act, 1867,	130	130	27,921	130	315 10 6	14 495 10 2	13,090 17 0
Total,	357	554	73,329	554	1,074 11 0	46,731 0 5	40,112 0 5
Miscellaneous Bills taxed—not yet certified,	5	7	3,380		10 10 0	2,286 13 5	
IN OFFICE OF MASTER GIBSON							
General Causes, under the Court of Chancery Regulation Act, 1850	12	23	7,433	20	82 13 0	4,332 10 10	3,964 8 0
Causes, under 15th sec. of the Court of Chancery Regulation Act, 1850,	37	64	12,976	64	129 13 0	5,718 17 1	4,667 17 11
Chancery Appeals,	4	4	421	4	9 1 0	432 11 4	368 10 6
Receivers' Costs,	General Orders.	17	1,380	17	20 6 0	457 15 7	363 0 2
Cost of passing Receivers' Accounts,	General Orders.	82	2 065	82	43 7 0	1 120 1 10	1,096 4 3
Minor and Guardian,	63	72	10,880	73	125 1 0	4,385 9 4	3,966 10 10
Lunacy Matters,	40	50	6,810	60	80 5 0	4,020 10 8	3,308 17 10
Solicitor and Client on requisition and the Solicitors Act,	94	84	16,357	84	199 1 0	8 365 13 0	7,369 7 2
Chancery (Ireland) Act, 1867,	193	185	29,523	190	245 11 0	14,880 3 10	12,388 15 10
Total,	373	682	88 737	682	1,051 2 0	48,206 12 0	36,386 12 4
Miscellaneous Bills taxed—not yet certified,	17	61	9 214		71 10 0	3 417 1 1	
GENERAL TOTAL (exclusive of Bills not yet certified),	760	1,169	167,728	1,136	2,125 13 0	91,020 19 11	76,498 1 0

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HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY.—11. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the EXAMINER for the Year ended 1st November, 1871, made by the EXAMINER.

PROCEEDINGS	Causes.	Total Witnesses.
In Lord Chancellor's Court,	4	15
,, Master of the Rolls Court,	2	12
,, Vice-Chancellor's Court,	6	27
,, Masters in Chancery,		
Total,	12	67
Amount of Fees received,	£38 0s. 8d.	

LANDED ESTATES COURT.—TABLE 1. RETURN of JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS in the Year 1871, made by the REGISTRAR.

PROCEEDINGS	Total.	Hon. Judge Lynch	Hon. Judge Flanagan
Number of cases pending in Chamber of Judges at commencement of year	1,281	736	545
,, Petitions referred to Chamber of Judges, viz :—			
,, for Sale of Incumbered Estates,	321	186	141
,, ,, Unincumbered Estates,	31	5	26
,, ,, Sullied Estates,			
,, Declarations of Title,	8	1	5
,, Partitions,	12	6	6
,, Exchanges,			
,, Divisions and allotments of intermixed Lands,			
,, Apportionments of Rent,			
,, Specific performance of Contract of Sale,	7	3	4
,, Appointments of New Trustees,	14	10	5
,, Statement under Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870, Part II.,	3	1	3
,, Orders for Sale by Church Temporalities Commissioners,	8	1	4
,, Building Leases sanctioned,	3	1	2
,, Petitions to authorize Leases not within exact term of Act or Settlement,			
,, Cases in which Titles approved of,	224	98	126
,, ,, Sales have been had,	200	98	102
,, ,, final Schedules settled,	191	57	134
,, Conveyances executed,	477	231	245
,, Petitions dismissed,	108	83	25
Proceedings under Tenure and Improvement of Land (Ireland) Act 1870, viz :—			
Number of statements of Limited Owners' Improvements lodged,			
,, Orders charging Annuities for Limited Owners' Improvements,			
,, Orders made on such Petitions,			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Net Rental of Estates Sold,	53 753 15 9	28 775 15 1	26,977 0 8
Amount of the Purchase Money,	1,350,524 3 11	657,820 3 3	692,704 0 8
,, Money ordered for Payment,	1 181,492 7 4	582,316 15 10	599,175 11 6
,, Duty paid in respect of business transacted in the Court during the year,	5 343 5 10	3 058 15 2	2 283 7 8

LANDED ESTATES COURT.—TABLE 2. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the RECORD and AFFIDAVIT OFFICE, for the Year ended 1st November, 1871.

PROCEEDINGS.	Number.	PROCEEDINGS.	Number.
Petitions filed,	291	Appearances entered,	758
Final Schedule of Incumbrances,	198	Folios copied (Cost £189 4s. 9d.),	78,276
Objections to ditto,	104	Solicitors registered,	1,011
Claims,	93	Statements under 31st section Record of Title Act,	3
Tenants' Objections,	248	,, under Landlord and Tenant Act (1870, section 32),	18
Miscellaneous Documents,	271	Orders for sale from Church Commissioners (section 24),	18
Affidavits filed,	4 403		

LANDED ESTATES COURT.—TABLE 3. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the TAXING OFFICE, for the Year ended 31st July, 1871.

PROCEEDINGS.	Amount of Costs as Lodged.	Deductions thereout.	Net Amount as Certified.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount of Costs Certified from 31st July, 1870, to 31st July, 1871, inclusive,	44,871 18 6	8,589 18 1	36 281 18 11
Add Costs Taxed during same period but not Certified,	6,326 0 6		
	48 197 18 0		

LANDED ESTATES COURT.—TABLE 4. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the DEEDS OFFICE, for the Year ended 1st November, 1871.

PROCEEDINGS.	Number.	PROCEEDINGS.	Number.
Boxes lodged,	251	Orders to give out Deeds or other Documents,	2 232
Deeds or other Documents lodged,	2,405	Receipts for Deeds or other Documents (to be returned),	1 035
Abstracts of Title lodged,	394	Receipts for Deeds or other Documents (not to be returned),	488

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LANDED ESTATES COURT.—TABLE 5. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the RECORD of TITLE OFFICE for the Year ended 1st November,* 1871.

	During Year ended 1st November, 1871.			Since passing of Act 1865.		
	Number	Value taken from Consideration Money stated in Deeds of Conveyance.	Amount of Mortgages and Charges Recorded.	Number	Value taken from Consideration Money stated in Deeds of Conveyance	Amount of Mortgage and Charges Recorded.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Separate Estates or Properties entered on the Record of Title	42	185,130 0 0	24,459 0 0	493	1,715,870 0 0	177,343 10 10
Number of Estates recorded to warrant year where value below £1,000,	10	—	—	—	—	—
" " " value £1,000 and below £10,000	19	—	—	—	—	—
" " " value £10,000 and upwards,	4	—	—	—	—	—
Applications under 31st section of Act	2	—	—	63	—	—
Conveyance and Declaration of Title tendered in such Applications,	2	—	—	60	—	—
		Amount.†			Amount †	
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.	
Proceedings under 'Land Debentures Act'—						
Certificates granted by the Court authorizing the issue of Land Debentures on Recorded Estates,†	—	—	—	—	—	—
Debentures actually issued		—	—		—	—

* Stat. 28 & 29 Vic., cap. 88 sec. 67.

† No proceeding is now being taken under the 'Land Debentures Act,' or has been taken for the last four years.

COURT OF PROBATE.—TABLE 1. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS of the COURT and PRINCIPAL REGISTRY in the Year 1871, made by REGISTRAR.

Number of Probates (and Administrations Wills annexed)	1,196
" Administrations	664
" Caveats	240
" Appearances,	140
" Motions,	250
" Petitions,	—
" Causes,	127
" Trials by Special Juries,	10
" Trials by Common Juries,	14
" Causes heard by Judge,	25
Other forms of proceedings, viz. —	
Citations,	134
Warnings,	146
Subpœnas,	172
Attachments,	2

Number of Probates and Administrations granted:—	
On Hearing of Causes,	50
On Motion before the Judge	69
On Motion in the Registry,	622
Causes in Progress at the end of the year 1870,	33
Causes in Progress at the end of the year 1871,	76
Causes ready for Hearing and Irish reheard,	—
Questions referred to Courts of Law,	1
Appeals to Court of Appeal in Chancery	—
Appeals to House of Lords,	—
Appeals from Chairmen of Counties	—
Revocation of Probate or Administration	7
Total Amount of Fees received,	£9,430 7s. 0d
Total Amount of Taxed Costs,	£26,341 9s. 1d
Amount of Property under which Probates and Administrations were sworn to the year 1871*	£4,129,028 18s. 6d
Total amount of Duty received thereon,*	£75,084 8s. 6d

* These items are from the Comptroller of Stamp Duties Inland Revenue Office.

COURT OF PROBATE.—TABLE 2. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in JURISDICTION under "The Legitimacy Declaration Act (Ireland), 1868" during the Year 1871, and in the COURT for "Matrimonial Causes and Matters" (Jurisdiction first created from 1st January 1871, under 33 & 34 Vic., c. 110), made by REGISTRAR.

PROCEEDINGS.	Number	PROCEEDINGS	Number
Petitions filed		Motions,	14
In Forma Pauperis	—	Causes heard before Judge on oral evidence,	3
For Divorce *a mensa et thoro*,	5	" affidavits,	—
For Nullity of Marriage,	—	" and Special Jury	—
For Restitution of Conjugal Rights,	1	" and Common Jury,	—
Jactitation of Marriage,	—	Decrees for Divorce *a mensa et thoro*	3
Declaration under Legitimacy Declaration Act,*	—	Nullity of Marriage	—
For Alimony *pendente lite*	3	Restitution of Conjugal Rights,	1
For Alimony permanent,	1	Jactitation of Marriage,	—
Citations issued	8	under Legitimacy Declaration Act,*	—
Appearances entered	8	Applications for new Trial	—
Answers filed	2	Appeals to Court of Appeal in Chancery,	—
Replies filed by Petitioners,	—	Dismissal of Petition,	—
Rejoinders by Respondents,	—		
Total amount of Fees received (Matrimonial Causes),		£49 14s. 0d	

* The business transacted in the Court of Probate under the Legitimacy Declaration Act (Ireland), 1868, was not embraced in any of the Returns heretofore published. The fees received in those cases being levied in Probate Court stamps have been included in the items already returned in Probate Court statistics for the eleven respective years. There was one petition and one decree under the Act in 1869 and one petition and one decree in 1870.

COURT OF PROBATE.—TABLE 3. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the OFFICE of the ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL for the Year ended 1st October, 1871, made by the ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

Cash Securities, and other Effects Paid and Transferred	into Court	Out of Court.	Other Proceedings in the Office	Number.	Amount.
					£ s. d.
Cash,	No Information		Total Cheques signed,	1	—
Bank £3 per cent Annuities,			Amount of Cash Securities, and other effects carried over in the Accountant General's books 1871,	—	2,149 16 0
Reduced Annuities,			Powers of Attorney issued, viz.—		
Government New £3 per cent Stock,			Impressed with 5s. stamps,	None	—
Bank Stock			" with 20s "		
Other Stock,			" with 30s "		
Exchequer Bills,			" without stamps,		
Other Securities,			Total Number of Accounts,	3	—
Cash Securities, and Effects,			Amount of Fees collected,	None	—

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COURT OF PROBATE.—TABLE 4. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS before the DISTRICT REGISTRARS in the Year 1871, and of the AMOUNT of PROBATE DUTY received, compiled from Returns made by the DISTRICT REGISTRARS.

DISTRICT REGISTRIES	Granted in Common Form			Granted under Direction of Judge			Caveats against Grant of Probates and Letters of Administration	Refused under Direction of Judge		Granted on Decrees of Chairmen of Counties			Recalled or varied on Decrees of Chairmen of Counties.		Revoked Decrees of Court of Probate	Total Amount of Fees received.	Amount of Duty realised	Fees or Emoluments received for other Proceedings.
	Probates.	Letters of Administration	Letters of Administration with the Will annexed.	Probates.	Letters of Administration	Letters of Administration with the Will annexed		Probates.	Letters of Administration	Probates.	Letters of Administration	Letters of Administration with the Will annexed	Probates.	Letters of Administration				
																£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Armagh,	122	92	29		4	2	44			1	1		1			737 16 3	3,778 3 3	93 10 0
Ballina,	27	14	0		—		1									108 16 0	618 0 0	—
Belfast,	428	158	31	2	4	2	47									2 158 1 0	12 987 10 0	112 1 0
Carlow	11	14	1		—		13									57 8 8	284 0 0	0 1 6
Cork,	148	109	22	2	2	1	10									1,955 11 0	7,917 10 0	41 0 0
Kilkenny,	42	60	10		—		32									406 15 0	2,779 2 0	1 2 0
Limerick,	55	54	11	3	—	1	22									343 10 3	1,886 15 0	—
Londonderry,	162	86	20		—		38					1				761 19 0	4,060 3 0	52 2 0
Mullingar	17	17	0		—		26					1				91 13 4	—	—
Tuam,	13	13	9		—		0									84 5 5	332 2 0	0 0 0
Waterford,	85	59	28		1		10									576 14 0	3 017 0 0	27 16 0
Total,	1 095	642	193	7	11	6	254			1	1	2	1			6 772 17 3	39 421 0 0	337 10 3

HIGH COURT OF ADMIRALTY.—TABLE 1. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the HIGH COURT OF ADMIRALTY OF IRELAND for the Year ended 31st December, 1871, made by the REGISTRAR.

CAUSES INSTITUTED DURING YEAR	Number	Amount	CAUSES INSTITUTED DURING YEAR	Number	Amount.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Salvage,	7	6 011 19 8	Taxation of Costs—*continued*		
Damage by Collision,	10	2 025 16 1	IV Costs in default Causes—		
Bottomry,	4	3,732 10 4	Amount of Proctors and Solicitors' Bills submitted for Taxation,	2	55 16 1
Necessaries,	12	1,374 19 3	Disallowed,		20 12 0
Towage,	—	—	Reported due		35 7 1
Seamen's Wages,	2	532 10 6			
Masters' Wages and Disbursements,	3	194 13 10	V Marshal's Bills—		
Damage to Cargo,	1	100 0 0	Amount claimed	7	524 3 11
Ownership,	—	—	Disallowed		8 6 0
Other Causes,	3	2,848 2 8	Reported due		516 16 11
Total Causes during year,	43	19,892 4 10			
Causes pending at beginning of year,	20	12,434 0 6	VI. Outport Charges in all cases claimed		—
Total Causes,	63	32 317 11 4	Disallowed		—
			Reported due,		—
Motions—					
I. In Court—					
(1.) Opposed	24	—	VII Total Amount of Costs and Charges submitted for Taxation,	17	1 319 1 3
(2.) Unopposed,	43	—	Disallowed,		170 3 3
II. In Chambers,	30	—	Total		1,149 18 0
Total,	103				
Summonses heard,	15	—			
Final Judgments and Decrees—					
I After Judgment—					
(1.) For Plaintiff	6	5,004 0 4			
(2.) For Defendant	3	—			
II By consent,	5	347 10 0			
III In default,	4	1 933 0 10			
Total,	18	7,580 11 2	Caveats entered—		
			(1.) Against the issue of a Warrant	5	—
Taxation of Costs—			(2.) Against the release of Property,	6	—
I. Number of Bills taxed—			(3.) Against payment of Money out of the Registry,	0	—
(1.) In contested Causes for Plaintiff,	6	510 5 7			
(2.) In " for Defendant,	2	219 12 8			
(3.) In default Causes,	2	68 10 1			
(4.) For Marshal	7	524 3 11			
Total,	17	1,319 1 3			
II Plaintiffs' Costs in contested Causes—			Instruments &c., prepared in the Registry—		
Amount of Proctors' and Solicitors' Bills submitted for Taxation,	6	516 5 7	Warrants of Arrest,	59	10,327 6 10
Disallowed		99 12 11	Citations in rem	3	1 655 10 0
Reported due		417 12 8	in personam,		—
			Commissions for Bail,	1	—
III Defendants' Costs in contested Causes—			Bail Bonds	14	9,359 11 0
Amount of Proctors' and Solicitors' Bills submitted for Taxation,	2	220 12 8	Affidavits of Justification,	2	—
Disallowed,		51 10 4	Releases,	52	—
Reported due,		168 2 4	Subpœnas,	3	—
			Notices of Sale	6	—
			Commissions of Appraisement and Sale,	0	—
			Monitions for different Purposes		—
			Attachments,	1	—
			Instruments not otherwise specified,		—
			Total,	115	29,280 18 7

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HIGH COURT OF ADMIRALTY.—2 RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the HIGH COURT of ADMIRALTY of IRELAND for the Year ended 31st December, 1871, made by the REGISTRAR.

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS	TOTALS.	Salvage.	Damage.	Bottomry	Necessaries	Towage	Seamen's Wages.	Master's Wages and Disbursements.	Damage to Cargo.	Ownership.	Other Causes.
Instruments executed, viz :—											
Warrants,	39	8	10	8	8	-	-	2	1	-	8
Citations in rem	8	1	-	1	3	-	2	1	-	-	1
Citations in personam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Monitions for different purposes,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attachments,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subpœnas,	3	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Decree of Possession,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Release,	32	8	5	6	7	-	2	1	1	-	5
Commission of Appraisement, of Appraisement and Sale, of Delivery,	8	-	-	2	1	-	2	-	-	-	1
Total,	89	19	15	9	20	-	7	3	2	-	15
Arrests made of Ships,	35	1	10	-	11	-	2	2	1	-	8
" of Ships and Cargoes,	4	0	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
" of Ships and Freights,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
" of Ships Cargoes, and Freights	9	3	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
" of Cargoes and Freights	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
" of Cargoes only,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
" of Freights only,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
" of Rigging, &c.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
" of Proceeds in Registry,	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total,	49	7	10	4	12	-	2	3	1	-	9
Notices of Bail,	14	4	3	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	2
Reports as to sufficiency of Bail,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount of Bail reported,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amount of Proceeds paid into Registry :—											
Of Ships sold	1,130 0 0	-	-	995 0 0	62 0 0	-	22 0 0	30 0 0	-	-	21 0 0
Of Cargoes sold,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	1,130 0 0	-	-	995 0 0	62 0 0	-	22 0 0	30 0 0	-	-	21 0 0

BALANCES of SUITORS and other MONEYS in HAND at the beginning and end of the YEAR 1871, and TOTAL of AMOUNTS RECEIVED and PAID during the same Year

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balances in hand at the beginning of the year :—			
Remaining to the credit of the Admiralty Court Deposit Fund	-	-	
Remaining to the credit of the Registrar's Account at the Bank of Ireland	-	-	2,791 17 5
Received during the year :—			
Proceeds of Ships, Cargoes, and Freight paid in	-	1,130 0 0	
Tenders for Salvage, &c.	-	1,325 0 0	
Deposits in lieu of Bail	-	-	
Received the balance of the Amount voted by Parliament for Salaries and other Expenses of Office for the year 1870-71,	1,581 5 6		
Do. for the excess of expenditure incurred beyond the amount voted by Parliament for the same year,	-		
Do. on account of the Amount voted by Parliament for the year 1870-71,	350 0 0	2,731 5 6	
Other receipts,	-	226 0 0	4,612 10 6
Total,			£7,514 7 11

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Paid during the year :—			
To Salvors,	-	75 0 0	
For Damage by Collision,	-	668 15 11	
To Bottomry Bondholders,	-	398 4 4	
For Necessaries,	-	14 11 6	
For Towage,	-	-	
To Masters for Wages and Disbursements,	-	44 14 5	
To Seamen for Wages,	-	360 15 4	
To Mortgagees,	-	18 12 10	
Freight on Cargo transhipped,	-	-	
To Owners claiming Balance after payment of other claims,	-	1,036 18 10	
Repayment of Tenders,	-	-	
Do. of Deposits in lieu of Bail,	-	775 10 0	
To the Proctors for Costs,	-	112 0 11	
To the Marshal for charges and disbursements, including Dock Dues, Brokerage &c., on Ships and Goods sold by Order of the Court,	-	479 11 1	
Salaries and other Expenses of Office for the year ended 31st December, 1871,	1,591 14 0	1,591 14 0	
Repayments on account of "Other Receipts,"	-	226 5 0	
			6,585 7 3
Balances in hand at the end of the year remaining to the credit of the Admiralty Court Deposit Fund,		-	
Remaining to the credit of the Registrar's Account at the Bank of Ireland	-	1 259 9 11	
Balance to credit of Parliamentary Vote, 31st December, 1871	-	629 18 0	
			1,929 6 3
Total,			£7,514 7 11

The total Sum realized by the Commissioners of Inland Revenue on account of Admiralty Court Stamps during the year 1871 £398 4s

GENERAL BUSINESS OF THE COURT

	No.
Number of Days on which the Court sat for Motions and Causes	117
Days on which the Registrar and Merchants sat for hearing References,	
Commissions &c. enrolled in the Registry :—	
Appointing Lords of the Admiralty	
Empowering Lords of the Admiralty to appoint Officers of Vice-Admiralty Courts in the Straits Settlements,	Nil
Appointing Judge of the High Court of Admiralty,	
Appointing Queen's Advocate	
Appointments of Commissioners to Administer Oaths,	1

	No.	Amount.
Appointments of Examiners,		
Claims in respect of Seamen volunteering into the Royal Navy under the 17th and 18th Vic. c. 104 s. 214-223 :—		
Claims investigated by the Registrar,		
" allowed in full,		
" varied or altered,		
" disallowed in toto	-	Nil.
Awards appealed against to the Judge,		
Total Amount claimed for Compensation,		
Total Amount disallowed,		
Total Amount found due,		

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COURT OF BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY.—1. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in BANKRUPTCY for the Year 1871, made by the CHIEF REGISTRAR.

PROCEEDINGS IN BANKRUPTCY	Before the Court	
	Number	Amount.
		£ s. d.
Petitions for adjudication of Bankruptcy —		
By Creditors,	113	—
By Traders against themselves,	79	—
Number of such Petitions dismissed,	13	—
Trader Debtor Summonses,	113	—
Other Summonses	365	—
Sittings before the Court,	3,017	—
Sittings before the Chief Registrar —		
For proof of Debts,	603	—
For Vouching Assignees' Accounts,	535	—
For Examination of Witnesses,	2	—
For Special References,	70	—
Motions on Notice	356	—
Bills of Costs Taxed by the Chief Registrar,	383	—
Number of Items,	58,106	—
Amount as furnished	—	13,893 0 0
Deduction on Taxation	—	2,791 0 0
Amount as certified,	—	12,092 0 0
Warrants,	208	—
Searches,	691	—
Petitions presented under Arrangement Clauses,	164	—
Petitions for Private Arrangement under control of the Court upon which adjudications of Bankruptcy were made	22	—
Total number of persons declared Bankrupt, whether trading singly or in partnership,	179	—

COURT OF BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY.—2. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in INSOLVENCY in the Year 1871, made by the CHIEF CLERK in INSOLVENCY.

PROCEEDINGS IN INSOLVENCY	Number	Amount.
		£ s. d.
Petitions of Insolvency filed by Prisoners in Gaols in the City and County of Dublin and heard before the Court in Dublin	194	—
" by Prisoners in County Gaols, and heard before Chairmen of Counties,	370	—
Total of Petitions of Insolvency lodged	498	—
Petitions of Insolvency in which Prisoners were admitted to Bail before hearing,	305	—
" in which Official Assignees were appointed to act,	137	—
" in which Creditors' Assignees were chosen	40	—
" in which Dividends were declared,	79	—
Amount of Dividends declared in 79 cases,		4,710 7 9
" Debts on which the Dividends declared,		30,837 0 5
Average Dividend in the £1 a		0 2 6
Amount of remuneration allowed to the Official Assignees in the above cases of Dividends, a		176 3 1
Amount of remuneration allowed to the Official Assignees in other cases,		93 0 0
Prisoners in the Four Courts Marshalsea who subscribed declarations in order to be discharged out of Custody by the Chief Clerk as Pauper Debtors	71	—
Prisoners so discharged,	14	—
Sittings before the Court in Dublin for all purposes in Insolvency	697	—
" the Chief Clerk, viz —		
For proof of Debts	620	—
For vouching Assignees' Accounts,		
For examination of Witnesses,		
For Bail	53	—
Bills of Costs Taxed by the Chief Clerk,	5 027	—
Number of Items,		1,931 2 8
Amount as furnished,		200 7 1
Deduction on Taxation,		1,570 15 7
Amount as certified,		—
Number of Solicitors who entered their Licences to Practise in the Court	810	
Amount of Cash in the Bank of Ireland with the privity of the Chief Clerk, to the Credit of the Unclaimed Dividend Account on 31st December 1871,		3,072 10 6½
Amount of Government Stock on 31st December 1871		22,000 0 0
Amount of Cash in the Bank of Ireland with the privity of the Chief Clerk, to the Credit of Matters in Insolvency on 31st December, 1871,		302 12 6
Amount of Government Stock, on 31st December, 1871,		—

a Amount of Law Costs of the Assignees in the above Cases of dividend, being the Law expenses of realization and distribution, £ 537 11 0
Average Cost of each Case, 6 0 0

Of the Total Amount realized in the above cases of dividend the application was—

	£ s. d.	s. d.
In remuneration to the Official Assignees	1 4 7 per cent.	0 7½ in the pound
In payment of Law Costs of realization and distribution,	2 15 10 "	1 1½ "
In payment of Dividends to Creditors	85 19 7 "	17 2½ "

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COURT OF BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY.—3 TABLE Compiled from Unpublished Returns of OFFICIAL ASSIGNEES to PARLIAMENT, under IRISH BANKRUPTCY and INSOLVENCY ACT, 1857, showing the state of the Bankruptcies and Insolvencies under the charge of each OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE, for the Year 1871

—	Number of Bankruptcies and Insolvencies, in which Petitions were presented				Total.	Gross Amount of Debts and Liabilities stated in Balance Sheets	Net Amount of Debts proved	Gross Amount of Assets in Balance Sheets.	Gross Amount of Assets in Balance Sheets, exclusive of Debts returned therein as Bad and Doubtful.	Total Amount of Assets Collected	Amount of Assets Collected Insolvent year 1871	Amount of Preferential Payments viz.—Rents, Salaries, Mortgages &c
	Prior to 1869	In 1869	In 1870	In 1871		£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s d
Mr James— Bankruptcies	10	20	40	87	157	384,570 3 0	276,681 0 11	136,989 13 1	103,364 1 0	142,476 10 6	61 505 1 0	41,385 12 0
Arrangements,	1	2	13	63	79	477 948 13 0	175,025 0 7	102 279 9 11	104 513 3 11	41 955 17 2	25,858 1 0	4,866 13 0
Insolvencies,	67	13	11	20	111	76,589 16 2	23,411 15 0	23,039 11 11	13 371 7 8	21 923 1 1	6,851 8 8	5,256 3 0
Total	18	37	68	170	303	938 105 13 0	486,118 4 0	462 289 4 11	311 248 13 7	212,348 15 2	93 672 10 8	51,517 13 0
Mr Deering — Bankruptcies,	34	10	70	70	180	550 544 12 2	375 956 13 9	370 581 11 11	288,174 15 10	228,314 18 3	95 029 3 1	41 963 11 0
Arrangements	0	10	11	64	85	261 421 12 0	182 581 7 4	157,213 1 0	125,213 3 2	76 304 14 0	44 207 11 3	5 092 13 0
Insolvencies,	10	11	41	50	102	65,695 0 8	13 397 7 4	11,833 6 4	6,053 10 2	12,262 11 6	7,016 10 11	3,467 13 0
Total,	53	40	122	170	395	861,651 10 10	570 891 8 5	545 753 19 9	424 500 14 5	311 492 4 8	194,244 0 3	50,459 0 3
GENERAL TOTAL	136	71	190	345	748	1,326 751 4 4	1,057,009 12 0	948,042 4 0	735 149 12 10	523 841 19 5	121,923 10 11	101,911 1 2

—	Amount of Legal and other Bankruptcy Charges exclusive of the Allowances to the Official Assignee	Total Amount of Allowances to Official Assignees for Petty Expenses	Total Amount of Allowances paid to the Official Assignees.	Amount of Allowances paid to the Official Assignees during the year 1871	Total Amount ordered to be paid in Dividends.	Total Amount paid in Dividends.	Balances	Total Balance		
								Balances of Estates Undivided.	Cash Lodged in Bank of Ireland	Cash due Official Assignee
	£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s d	£ s. d.
Mr James — Bankruptcies	13 244 10 4	147 2 11	2,484 13 0	1,295 13 9	83,845 11 0	62 296 1 6	3,549 3 4	10,434 14 2	22 108 4 4	33 14 9
Arrangements,	712 4 1	58 16 7	860 0 7	732 8 2	40,051 16 0	40,244 12 0	401 3 11	720 1 1	1 060 2 1	0 3 5
Insolvencies	1,343 12 2	59 0 0	511 11 2	136 0 10	12 878 3 4	11,490 16 0	102 3 3	2 602 14 0	2 780 19 1	22 7 0
Total,	15,365 12 7	259 0 0	3 906 11 0	2,163 2 0	116,170 0 0	114,036 19 1	4,138 0 11	22,757 10 0	26,584 5 6	113 5 0
Mr Deering — Bankruptcies	25 822 1 2	418 11 5	4 358 4 5	1,175 8 1	141,502 5 7	133,527 17 11	3 964 7 8	15,550 13 8	17,920 13 3	25 15 6
Arrangements,	3 031 0 7	93 17 6	1 020 13 10	513 18 10	64,335 11 0	64,078 13 8	321 11 4	1 944 11 7	1,732 4 0	..
Insolvencies,	1,169 19 5	33 7 0	205 8 11	101 10 1	4,101 4 4	4,081 0 10	620 5 0	3 673 14 3	3,370 1 11	3 5 11
Total,	30 023 0 6	515 16 4	5,584 7 2	1 851 0 0	210,939 2 11	206,687 12 5	4,906 10 8	20 115 0 0	23 023 10 8	28 19 0
GENERAL TOTAL,	45,389 1 7	825 10 4	9,554 18 2	4,003 5 0	328,364 11 11	320,118 11 0	9,145 0 5	42 932 10 0	49 608 5 2	142 5 2

SUPREME COURTS OF APPEAL.

1 ADMIRALTY APPEALS BEFORE HER MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.—RETURN of the PROCEEDINGS of the JUDICIAL COMMITTEE of the PRIVY COUNCIL in the Year **1871**, made by the REGISTRAR of the PRIVY COUNCIL.

No Appeals whatever have been lodged from Ireland to Her Majesty in Council.

2 HOUSE OF LORDS.—RETURN of JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS of the HOUSE on APPEALS and CAUSES in ERROR from IRISH COURTS in the Year **1871**, made by the CLERK of the PARLIAMENTS.

PROCEEDINGS	Total	Court of Chancery, Ireland.	Exchequer Chamber Ireland.
Number of Appeals and Causes in Error presented,	8	6	2
Number of Causes withdrawn,	1	1	
Judgment delivered Session 1871, Affirmed,	5	2	3
Number of Causes effective for Hearing (including Causes presented in previous Sessions),	4	3	1
Total Amount of Fees,	£ s d 205 10 6	£ s. d. 141 10 6	£ s. d. 58 2 0

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3. PRIVY COUNCIL IN IRELAND.—RETURN of JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS of the PRIVY COUNCIL in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of the COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS	
Number of Appeals against Fishery By-Laws entered,	Nil.
Result of Hearing —	
By Law confirmed,	
,, disallowed,	
No Fees are received in the Council Office	

4. HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY APPEAL.—RETURN of PROCEEDINGS for the Year ended 1st November, 1871, made by the REGISTRARS

PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL.	APPEALS FROM								
		Lord Chancellor	Master of the Rolls.	Vice-Chancellor	Judges of Landed Estates Court.		Judge of Court of Probate	Judges in Bankruptcy and Insolvency		Judge of the Admiralty Court
					Judge Lynch.	Judge Flanagan.		Judge Miller	Judge Harrison	
Remanets on 1st November, 1870,	1	1								
Appeals set down for Argument,	42	3	5	14	2	10				1
How disposed of:—										
Judgments affirmed	25	1	3	3	5	7				1
varied or reversed	11	2	1	4	3	1				
struck out or withdrawn	5		1	1	1	2				
Remanets on 1st November, 1871	2		1	1						
Total Number of Orders (including Orders on Motions) made by the Court,							41			
Number of Days Court sat							49			
,, Appeals in which Common Law Judge sat with Lord Chancellor and Lord Justices,							5			

5. COURT OF ERROR, EXCHEQUER CHAMBER.—I. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS of the COURT of ERROR and APPEAL in the Year 1871, made by the CLERK of ERRORS

PROCEEDINGS.	TOTAL.	Queen's Bench.	Common Pleas	Exchequer
Writs of Error allowed,	3	1		
Memoranda of Errors lodged,	5		3	1
Notices of Appeal lodged,				
Total,	8	3	3	2
Set down for Argument, viz —				
Errors,	3	1		
Appeals	5		3	2
Remanets from 1869,	6	2	2	1
Total	14	5	5	3
How disposed of —				
Errors—Judgment affirmed	2	1		1
reversed,	2	2		
Venire de novo,				
Struck out	1		1	
Appeals—Judgment affirmed	5	2	1	2
reversed,	2		3	
Venire de novo,				
Struck out,				
Remanets and standing for Judgment,	2		2	
Total,	14	5	6	3

6. COURT OF EXCHEQUER CHAMBER.—II. RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in COURT of REGISTRY APPEALS under IRISH PARLIAMENTARY VOTERS ACT (13 & 14 Vic., c. 69) in the year 1871, made by the CLERK of the ERRORS.

PROCEEDINGS	Number.
Appeals Lodged,	Nil.
,, Affirmed,	
,, Reversed,	
,, Struck out,	
Remanets and standing for Judgment,	

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7. COURT FOR CROWN CASES RESERVED.—RETURN showing CASES reserved for the Consideration of the Court in the Year 1871, the COURT before which the Cases stood for Trial, the OFFENCES CHARGED, and JUDGMENT of the Court in each Case.

No.	Court before which cases stood for Trial.	Offences charged	Judgment of the Court.	Observations.
1	City of Dublin Commission, April, 1871,	Attempt to have carnal knowledge of a child under 12 years of age (2) of an indecent assault.	Convictions affirmed,	—
1	City of Dublin Commission, April, 1871,	Perjury	Conviction affirmed,	—
1	County Tyrone Quarter Sessions	Rescue and assault.	Case not yet argued,	—

QUARTER SESSIONS COURTS.—TABLE showing NUMBER of APPEALS from MAGISTRATES, APPLICATIONS for SPIRIT LICENCES, and BILLS of INDICTMENT Disposed of in the Year 1871, from Returns made by CLERKS of the PEACE.

COUNTY, COUNTY OF CITY OR OF TOWN, AND PROVINCE.	Appeals from Magistrates						Applications for Spirit Licences						Number of Bills sent to Grand Jury.				Persons against whom Bills Found			
								Number Granted		Number Refused										
	Total.	Affirmed.	Reversed	Varied	No Appearance	Otherwise disposed of	Total.	Original Application	Licences transferred	Original Application	Application for Transfer	Otherwise disposed of	Total.	Ignored.	Found	Otherwise disposed of	Total.	Guilty	Acquitted	Otherwise disposed of
LEINSTER																				
Carlow	1			1			12	3	4	5			30	2	28		28	16	12	3
Drogheda, Town of (1870),							13	4	7	1		1	7		7		8	2	2	4
Dublin (1873)	5	3	2				73	1	30	21	1		18	1	17		22	10	3	9
Dublin City (1870)	33	26	26	1			191		122		24	23	493	30	350	13	423	346	52	1
Kildare	8	3	4			1	37	3	15	15		4	67	7	60		76	32	4	16
Kilkenny	8	3	5				98	5	13	14		4	32	1	31		31	22	5	4
Kilkenny City							83	4	11	3		5	6		6		13	2	5	
King's County	11	7		3		1	41	13	4	13		8	43	2	44		52	28	8	16
Longford	5	1	2	1		1	38	7	14	8	4	5	21	2	19		58	30	7	1
Louth,	3	5	4				47	28		14		5	26		26		53	22	4	7
Meath	3	1					37	9	16	8			33	3	30		34	15	4	15
Queen's County (1872),	2	2					54	16	12	18		8	41	3	38		37	28	12	223
Westmeath	4		2			2	53	8	16	12	11	5	32	8	24		24	10		13
Wexford,	16	14	2				91	9	24	8	4	18	65	3	62		52	48	4	
Wicklow	13	8	1			4	60	13	16	24		13	29	1	28		28	17	6	4
Total,	143	89	42	6		6	787	115	353	180	44	97	857	83	784	10	853	373	153	127
MUNSTER																				
Clare	13	8	1			3	93	33	14	23		7	42	7	35		47	28	5	13
Cork, East Riding (including City)	21	13	13			1	133	43	62	30		28	118	13	105		123	76	27	20
Cork, West Riding	22	13	7	3		2	156	153		327		28	46	2	44		64	41	17	6
Cork City (1870),	20	12	8				133	3	81	4	7	5	152	5	147		155	97	23	15
Kerry	23	13	12			6	142	43	31	53		15	87	20	67		121	53	25	43
Limerick	22	13	5	1		1	103	33	11	32	1	13	118	44	74		74	37	33	3
Limerick City (1870),							7			7			43		43		35	30	5	
Tipperary, North Riding	23	10	4	3		6	133	60	46	53			174	11	163		154	106	13	35
Tipperary, South Riding																				
Waterford	23	25	4				77	5	24	53		3	84	3	43		44	33	7	4
Waterford City	2	2					39	21		18			17	1	13		18	14	4	
Total	185	103	51	7		22	1 216	311	272	314	8	109	864	108	743		843	515	165	167
ULSTER																				
Antrim (1870)	18	18				8	234	29	32	71	3	31	78	8	73		73	57	13	
Armagh,	18	5	5			18	74	16	16	28	17	11	69	11	58		108	62	33	3
Belfast, Town of	14	1	1	2			148	23	38	21	14	32	51		51		51	47	4	
Carrickfergus, Town of							3		3	1	1		1		1		1	1		
Cavan	11	8	1			2	54	14	15	13		12	85	8	52		132	28	35	43
Donegal	12	3	6				119	18	33	37		3	73	3	71		87	34	43	9
Down,*	37	8	4			15	113	24	13	36	25	16	105	16	87		142	33	57	12
Fermanagh	13	7	9	1		2	25	4	3	3	6		58	7	51		51	32	8	11
Londonderry	14	3	3			3	43	18	18	13		4	41	5	28		48	34	12	2
Londonderry City (1870)	12	5	4				58	18	33	12		4	13		13		13	3	2	
Monaghan	11	9	1			1	77	25	22	12	4	13	47	3	44		51	42	2	
Tyrone,	22	8	3			5	39	3	43	27	8	11	105	15	90		87	44	28	13
Total,	163	78	35	3		48	1,323	237	279	301	68	133	677	78	591		837	483	232	122
CONNAUGHT																				
Galway	16	12	1			3	63	16	18	18		11	69	7	62		109	47	43	19
Galway, Town of (1873),	6	5	1				23	15		3		5	17	1	13		17	3	7	1
Leitrim	10	5	1			4	27	13		8		6	39	4	35		76	36	33	3
Mayo,	13	3	3			2	135	47	14	28		41	122	34	118		113	78	33	7
Roscommon,	4	2				2	43	5	13	13		3	53	4	23		33	33	28	2
Sligo,	4	1	3				67	13	2	44		8	48	11	37		32	34	21	7
Total,	53	31	11			11	662	114	47	113		72	358	61	297		447	233	128	43
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	541	298	139	16	6	88	3 187	777	838	899	138	411	2,746	328	2,423	18	3 380	1 611	721	448

a Including 14 remanets for trial. b Including cases of Transfer. * Estimated by adding fifty per cent. to Armagh. c The two cases of appeal in the City of Waterford were cases of committal by Magistrates to Reformatory Schools.

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS—TABLE 1.—CIVIL BILL EJECTMENTS, REPLEVINS and other CIVIL BILLS Served in **1871**, from Returns made by Process Servers appointed by CHAIRMEN of COUNTIES and RECORDERS

COUNTIES, AND COUNTIES OF CITIES OR OF TOWNS, WITH DIVISIONS, UNDER THE ACT	Number of Process Servers appointed by Chairmen of Counties and Recorders	Number of Process Servers who have made Returns	Number of Process Servers who have not made Returns.	Served by Process Servers appointed by Chairmen of Counties and Recorders.		
				Civil Bill Ejectments	Replevins.	Other Civil Bills.
LEINSTER						
CARLOW { Carlow / Carlow and Bagenalstown / Tullow	5 4 3	5 3 3	1	13 1 1		952 1 116 720
Total,	12	11	1	15		2,791
DUBLIN, { Kilmainham 1868 / Balbriggan, 1868,	[0 [2	0 1	1	23		2,040] 43]
Total,	[6	7	1	23		2 083]
DUBLIN CITY { North Division / South "	2 2	2 2				2,076 1,733
Total,	4	4				3,861
KILDARE, { Athy / Naas,	6 7	5 6	1 1	21 20		738 245
Total,	13	11	2	41		983
KILKENNY (County and City), { Kilkenny / Thomastown,	7 11	7 11		57 65		2,623 3 160
Total,	18	18		122		5,783
KING'S COUNTY { Birr / Philipstown / Tullamore,	11 6 5	11 5 5		44 11 3	1	1,433 469 601
Total,	21	21		58	1	2,503
LONGFORD:—County at large,	14	14		117		2,124
LOUTH (& DROGHEDA, TOWN OF), { Drogheda / Dundalk,	4 10	4 10		17 26		463 1 406
Total,	14	14		43		1,826
MEATH, { Dunshaughlin / Kells,	6 12	6 12		25 51	1	470 1 013
Total,	18	18		76	1	1,483
QUEEN'S COUNTY, { Ballinakill / Graigue / Maryborough,	6 2 8	6 2 7	1	56 6 36	2	2,203 261 1,652
Total,	16	17	1	103	2	5,066
WESTMEATH, { Delvin / Meate / Mullingar,	2 7 4	2 6 4	1 1	18 67 33	6	34 860 323
Total,	14	12	2	93	6	1,217
WEXFORD —County at Large,	17	17		106		5,007
WICKLOW { Bellinglass / Wicklow,	3 9	2 9	1	2 27		52 693
Total,	12	11	1	29		813
Total of Province,	183	175	6	833	10	35,488
MUNSTER						
CLARE, { Ennis and Ennistimon / Kilrush / Kilrush, Ennis, and Ennistimon,	16 8 1	16 8 1		75 50 2		5 690 2 821 207
Total,	25	25		127		8,814
CORK, EAST RIDING, { Cork / Mallow / Middleton	3 14 12	6 13 11	1 1 1	30 131 42	3	1 249 3,171 2,511
Total,	29	32	3	215	3	6,931
CORK, WEST RIDING, { Bandon / Bantry / Macroom,	16 16 5	10 16 5		64 91 55		2,166 4,166 612
Total,	53	32		210		7,764
CORK CITY (Recorder's Court),	2	2		36		662
KERRY, { Killarney / Listowel / Tralee,	14 5 10	14 6 10		76 64 36		4 502 3,058 5,385
Total,	29	30		180		13,851
LIMERICK (County and City), { Limerick / Rathkeale,	13 11	15 11		348 36	1	4 173 4,613
Total,	24	24		344	1	9 986
TIPPERARY { Cashel / Clonmel / Nenagh,	18 12 32	16 12 29	2 3	76 44 113		4 330 2,163 6 784
Total,	62	57	5	233		13,279

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COUNTIES, AND COUNTIES OF CITIES OR OF TOWNS, WITH DIVISIONS, UNDER THE ACT.	Number of Process Servers appointed by Chairmen of Counties and Recorders	Number of Process Servers who have made Returns.	Number of Process Servers who have not made Returns	Served by Process Servers appointed by Chairmen of Counties and Recorders.		
				Civil Bill Ejectments.	Replevins.	Other Civil Bills.
MUNSTER—*continued.*						
Waterford (County and City), Dungarvan	5	5	—	66	—	1 673
Lismore	3	3	—	5	—	829
Waterford	6	6	—	2	—	1 282
Total,	14	14	—	84		3 884
Total of Province,	223	218	5	1,408	6	61 339
ULSTER.						
Antrim (including Carrickfergus), Ballymena,	18	18	—	88	2	8 888
Belfast,	8	8	—	28		4 155
Total,	26	26		116	2	13 043
Belfast, Borough of,	6	6	—	24		6,618
Armagh,	6	5	—	47		1,743
Armagh, Armagh and Market-hill,	6	4	1	21		2 004
Tur, an	6	6	—	37		2,096
Mirketchill,	10	8	2	68		6,106
Total,	28	23	3	169	—	13,988
Cavan, Cavan,	21	21	—	113	—	2 408
Cavan and Cootehill	2	2	—	10	—	407
Cootehill,	9	9	—	74	—	2,310
Total,	32	32	—	197	—	6,284
Donegal, Donegal,	12	12	—	36	—	3 146
Jafford,	27	27	—	75	1	7 702
Total,	39	39	—	111	1	10,847
Down, Downpatrick,	14	14	—	119	—	5 991
Newry,	9	8	1	66	—	6,494
Total,	23	22	1	185	—	12,085
Fermanagh, Enniskillen,	8	8	—	31	1	2 884
Newtownbutler,	6	6	—	22	—	1,597
Total,	14	14	—	53	1	3,481
Londonderry, Coleraine,	14	14	—	141	—	12 981
Londonderry, City and Liberties (Recorder's Court),	8	8	—	89	3	3,471
Total,	22	22	—	230	3	16,452
Monaghan, Castleblayney,	12	11	1	58	—	3,697
Castleblayney and Maughan,	4	4	—	27	—	1,271
Monaghan,	14	13	1	126	1	5,228
Total,	30	28	2	231	1	8 196
Tyrone, Clogher,	7	7	—	5	—	1,866
Dungannon,	13	13	—	135	—	6,810
Omagh	10	10	—	34	—	3,071
Strabane,	9	9	—	56	—	2,109
Total,	42	42	—	230		13,626
Total of Province,	253	250	6	1,537	8	109,471
CONNAUGHT.						
Galway (County and Town), Clifden	14	14	—	4	2	1 569
Galway	22	22	—	174		2 975
Loughrea,	26	26	—	163		2 446
Total,	62	62	—	378	2	6,990
Leitrim, Carrick on Shannon,	7	7	—	38	—	2 288
Manorhamilton,	4	4	—	37	—	3,033
Total,	11	11	—	75	—	5,321
Mayo, Ballina,	9	8	1	35		2,288
Ballinrobe,	7	7	—	66		1,468
Castlebar,	9	8	1	34	—	1,765
Swinford,	7	7	—	37		4,701
Total,	32	30	2	172		9,987
Roscommon, Athlone,	7	7	—	80	—	604
Boyle and Athlone,	1	1	—	7	—	196
Boyle,	13	12	1	121	—	4 227
Total,	21	20	1	217	—	5,329
Sligo, Ballymote,	9	9	—	42	—	2,561
Sligo,	7	7	—	30	—	2 749
Total,	16	16	—	72	—	5,310
Total of Province,	142	139	3	910	2	32 734
Total of Ireland (except 25 out of 825 Process Servers)	807	782	26	4,675	23	246 050

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS.—TABLE 2. EJECTMENTS and PROCEEDINGS as to LAND, for the YEAR 1871, from Returns made by Clerks of the Peace and Registrars of Recorders

COUNTIES	Number of Causes entered.	Judgment for Plaintiff. Decrees other than by Consent.	Judgment for Plaintiff. Decrees by Consent.	Dismissed.	Remaining over for hearing.	Otherwise disposed of.	Number of Causes in which the sums stated in the Decrees to be due were— 40s. and under.	£2 and above £5	£10 and above £20	£20 and above £30	£30 and above £40	Over £40.	Ejectments on the Title	Number of Cases in which after Decree proceedings stopped by Payment of Rent (23 & 24 Vict. c. 154 s. 13)	Decrees obtained by Plaintiff on Original Hearing. Amount of Rent due, exclusive of Costs.	Decrees obtained by Plaintiff on Original Hearing. Amount of Costs, exclusive of Stamps	Proceedings under Tenure and Improvement of Land (Ireland) Act 1860. Leases Sanctioned.	Proceedings under Tenure and Improvement of Land (Ireland) Act 1860. Tenants' Improvements Valued
LEINSTER:															£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Carlow,	25	16	4		2	4	3	2	2	3	4	6			431 6 7	—		
Dublin (1870)	[74	45	5	17		7		2	4	16	9	5	20		741 12 1	—		—]
City (Recorder's Court),	152	94		15		45			4	15	21	17	37		2,139 6 3	211 5 10		
Kildare,	67	18	1	7		11	6		3	6	1	3	1		434 2 6	39 4 10		
Kilkenny,	67	30	3	6		5		7	4	7	6	10	16		1 810 10 6	58 6 6		
King's County,	59	34	2	5	3	15	2	2	4	6	7	6	9		309 3 7	52 15 9		
Longford,	70	44	2	1		23	1	4	4	6	14	10	4	1	1 449 1 6	97 13 9		
Louth,	97	25	1	6		5		2	7	3	6	2			306 12 5	50 0 6		
Meath,	67	26	1	2	2	7	7	5	4	6		5			581 2 4	—		
Queen's County (1866),	[54	41	1	2	10		2	6	3	6	7	4	10		830 12 5	—		]
Westmeath	58	38	6	7	1	6	1	3	2	5	6	6	10		675 17 4	127 10 6		
Wexford,	83	60		1		18	3	4	10	11	11	10	20		1 326 16 7	151 6 4		
Wicklow,	32	13	2	6	1	6	1		2	2	6	2	4		267 16 2	91 16 6		
Total of LEINSTER,	761	514	24	79	19	155	26	41	53	88	101	91	153	1	11,508 16 6	889 1 6		
MUNSTER:																		
Clare,	91	46	8	11	1	25	2	3	4	6	4	6	30		858 5 1	127 10 6		
Cork E. R.,	178	110	6		37	17	(32 cases not classified in returns)						42		—	—		
Cork, W. R.,	114	53	12	21	2	47	1	2	2	6	2	4	28		440 6 6	—		
Cork City (Recorder's Court, 1868),	[41	29	1	3		8			6	6	5	2	8		510 6 6	—		
Kerry,	130	78	21	28		33	5	8	12	6	7	10	24		3,105 16 6	190 19 6		
Limerick,	122	70	16	21	2	16	1	6	11	14	16	6	33		1,188 13 4	169 15 6		
Tipperary N R.,	150	100	1	18		25	3	10	8	19	19	15	30		1 537 1 11	225 18 6		
,, S.R.,																		
Waterford,	76	42	6	6		18	2	5	4	6	5	12	17		1,536 17 4	180 6 6		
Total of MUNSTER,	911	522	46	111	42	187	14	34	47	65	61	62	212	—	3,004 4 6	676 3 6		
ULSTER:																		
Antrim (1870),	[86	57	2	6	0	14			2	4	6	7	37		927 2 1	120 6 6		]
Armagh,	250	199		18		33	(184 cases not classified in returns)						15		4,124 15 1	495 10 6		
Belfast (Recorder's Court),	28	6		2		21			1		2				71 6 6	3 7 6		
Cavan,	121	64		15		22	1	6	11	10	15	10	20		1,553 0 1	164 1 6		
Donegal,	161	115	2	10	3	42		6	16	14	17	10	52		1,760 0 0	230 6 6		
Down (approximated by adding 25 per cent. to Armagh),	[376	250		27		49	(277 cases not classified.)						22		6,537 2 7½	743 16 6		]
Fermanagh,	150	50	6	8		86	2	4	6	4	6	3	30		7,38 2 6	94 6 6		
Londonderry (1870),	[246	101	4	6		132	2	3	7	20	15	11	41		1,488 4 6	215 5 6		]
City (Recorder's Court),	18	1	13	3		1		2	1	6	2		6		136 13 2	18 6 6		
Monaghan,	149	117	6	7	1	18		2	13	24	48	25	21		[922 15 1	5117 10 6]		
Tyrone,	282	130	1	47	38	67	2	18	21	34	24	9	37		2,866 1 7	298 6 6		
Total of ULSTER,	1,892	1,179	69	161	45	478	7	56	80	123	140	65	291		26,540 14 2½	2,591 14 2		
CONNAUGHT:																		
Galway,	240	165	0	13		30	5	20	28	44	28	11	48		2 522 9 4	417 6 6		
,, Town of (Recorder's Court),	4	2		2				1				1			60 6 6	4 6 6		
Leitrim,	70	38	1	6	5	17	1	4	2	7	6	3	17		440 2 1	97 15 6		
Mayo,	100	61	11	20	23	25	2	6	10	27	5	7	28		1,147 7 6	177 2 6		
Roscommon,	120	116	13	3	6	13	(123 cases not classified in returns)						20		[754 6 6	269 5 6		
Sligo,	62	36	3	5	1	7	1	1	2	5	8	6			471 6 6	45 4 6		
Total of CONNAUGHT,	597	458	34	66	36	101	9	44	52	83	39	28	130	—	6 435 1 6	1,010 13 6		
Total of IRELAND,	4,201	2,669	140	417	147	819	56	161	227	359	334	246	844	1	46,601 0 4	5,031 12 10	—	—

a Including cases remaining over for hearing

b Approximated by adding 20 per cent. to Fermanagh

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS.—TABLE 3.—RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the Years 1870 and 1871, under the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870, from Returns made by the CLERKS of the PEACE.

PROCEEDINGS.	Antrim	Armagh	Carlow	Cavan	Clare	Cork, East Riding	Cork, West Riding.	Cork, City of	Donegal	Down	Dublin County	Dublin City	Fermanagh	Galway	Galway, Town of	Kerry	Kildare	Kilkenny	King's County	Leitrim	Limerick	Londonderry	Longford	Louth	Mayo	Meath	Monaghan	Queen's County	Roscommon	Sligo	Tipperary	Tyrone	Waterford	Westmeath	Wexford	Wicklow	Total of Ireland a
Notices of claims lodged,																																				
1. Under Ulster Tenant-right or similar usage,																																				
(a) Where sole ground of claim,	9	3							13	3												21				1											72
(b) Where joined with other grounds of claim,	11	8							3	4			27									33				1			1	3							114
2. For loss on quitting holding—																																				
(a) Where sole ground of claim,	2		3	1		2	1		1				3							1	2	11		1	3				1	1	1			2		64
(b) Where joined with other grounds of claim,	32	20	8	2	8	21	23		11	13	4		45	21		7	8				32	8		1	40		1	3	15	12	3	41		5	4		353
3. For increasing payments—																																				
(a) Where sole ground of claim,																																				
(b) Where joined with other grounds of claim,									2																					2		1			1	9
4. For improvements—																																				
(a) Where sole ground of claim,	1		1			6	9		1	2			2								2	6	2		5		1	3					2			42
(b) Where joined with other grounds of claim,	32	25	4		2				14	15	4		42	14		7	8				6	37	1	1			7	9	10	1		43	5	5			295
CASES DISPOSED OF AT LAND SESSIONS.																																				
Total cases,	52	41	8	5	5	29	34		21	24	8		28	11		5	20	2		14	12	81	3	2	18	3	3	12	3	5	10	31	16	6	5	6	526
Cases withdrawn and settled,	12	8	3		3	11	12		6	5			14	1		1	4			7	6	17			3	2		4	1		2	9	1	3			141
Decrees,	27	13	1	5	2	7	10		8	10	1		10	5		2	4	1		4	2	29			7	1	3	2	2	5	2	20	5	2	3	4	197
Dismisses,	7	6	3			8	12 b		6	3	1		3	3		3	3			3		4	1	2	5			2	2		6	4	2		2		95
Referred to arbitration							(7)															1															3
Postponed and adjourned,	6	17	1			5				6	3		10				1			5					3						6	1	6	1			74
Ruled off,																																15	1				16
APPEALS.																																				
Appeals to Judge of Assize lodged	6		1		1	1	1		3	1			1	1		2	2			1		18				3		2	1	3	2	5		1	3	1	52
Appeals to Judge of Assize heard,	5		1		c1	1			3	1				1		1						5						1	1	3		1		1	2	1	33
Judgments affirmed	1		1						2					1		1						3									2			1	1	13
Judgments reversed,	1									1												1												1		4
Judgments varied,	3				1				1																			1	1	2		3		1		13
Judgment held over,						1																1								1						3
Cases reserved for Court of Land Cases reserved,																1						1														2
Cases reserved for Court of Land Cases heard,																1																				1
Judgments affirmed,																1																				1
Judgments reversed,																																				
Judgments varied,																																				
OTHER PROCEEDINGS																																				
Awards on arbitration recorded,									1													2															3
Awards rejected by Court,																						1															c1
Compensation charged on holding under 27th section																																				
Applications by Lessors to confirm acceptance of lease,																																				
Applications by Lessees to confirm granting of lease,																																				
Leases confirmed, 26th section,																																				
Leases confirmed with modification,																																				
Leases which the Court refused to confirm,																																				
Notices—(a) By Landlord of intention to register improvements,																																				
(b) By Tenant of intention to register improvements,																																				

Not returned. Not returned. Not returned. Not returned. Not returned. Not returned.

a Not including city of Dublin, but no proceedings for holdings such as fall within the Land Act are likely to be within the city of Dublin boundary.
b Referred to arbitration, and when landlord refused to abide by, were dismissed. c Judgment not yet given. d A dismiss at Land Sessions was settled on appeal, at suggestion of Judge of Assize.
e These figures do not include the counties of Antrim, Down, Dublin, Dublin City, Kildare, Monaghan, and Queen's county.

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS.—TABLE 4. PROCEEDINGS at LAND SESSIONS under the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870, showing AMOUNT CLAIMED and AWARDED with COSTS.

PROCEEDINGS	Total of 29 Land Courts in Ireland (see Return from 7 Land Courts)	Antrim	Armagh	Carlow	Cavan	Clare.	Cork, East Riding	Cork, West Riding	Cork City, (Recorder).
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount of all Claims lodged,	142 387 13 0	12 680 4 0	4,719 8 11	761 12 10	255 0 0	1,046 1 0	5,510 8 5	2,650 2 10	—
Amount claimed in Cases settled or disposed of otherwise than by Decree or Dismiss on hearing.	80,004 7 11	9 022 16 0	1,509 7 8	479 10 5	—	1,082 15 0	2,042 5 3	5 483 2 10	—
Amount claimed in Cases on Dismiss on hearing	10 802 2 4	1 304 0 0	1,028 0 4	233 17 5	—	—	1,000 10 0	810 0 0	—
Amount claimed in Cases in which there were Decrees.	42 094 2 0	2,708 10 0	1,780 14 10	48 5 0	255 3 8	563 0 0	970 8 2	2,218 0 0	—
COMPENSATION AWARDED AT LAND SESSIONS									
Amount of Claims established by Decrees.	13,853 11 0	3 003 7 4	557 4 6	12 0 0	149 11 4	104 3 0	204 5 0	772 13 0	—
Amount allowed in Decrees for set-off, objection Default or conduct of Tenant.	2,287 1 0	107 15 0	198 9 0	3 10 0	35 3 0	77 3 0	143 5 0	227 10 0	—
Net sums decreed or paid to Claimant.	11,456 10 5	2,920 11 6	358 15 2	8 10 0	110 7 0	27 0 0	141 0 0	544 17 2	—
APPEALS TO JUDGE OF ASSIZE									
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees increased	373 5 10	172 6 9	—	—	—	33 11 6	—	—	—
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees reduced	249 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
CASES IN COURT OF LAND CASES RESERVED									
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees increased	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees reduced.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
OTHER PROCEEDINGS									
Amount of Compensation awarded in arbitrations recorded	20 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount lodged by Respondents under 21st section	1,797 16 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount of Compensation paid out by Clerk of Peace	1 309 12 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount charged upon Holdings under 27th section	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
COSTS AND EXPENSES ALLOWED									
To Claimants in Decrees,	463 14 1	Not returned.	14 14 0	—	—	0 15 0	37 4 5	53 5 0	—
„ Respondents in Dismisses,	125 2 0		4 0 0	—	—	—	n16 0 0	—	—
„ Claimants on Appeals at Assizes	22 8 4		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
„ Respondents on Appeals at Assizes.	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
„ Claimants on Cases reserved,	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
„ Respondents on Cases reserved	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—

SCALE OF COMPENSATION FOR LOSS ON QUITTING HOLDING

Number of Cases—(1) where Decrees were made, (2) of Appeal, where each Class of the Scale was claimed and allowed.

	Total of 29 Land Courts in Ireland (see Return from 7 Land Courts)				Antrim				Armagh				Carlow				Cavan				Clare.				Cork, East Riding				Cork, West Riding				Cork City, (Recorder).			
	Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal	
	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.
1 Not exceeding 7 Years' and above 5 Years' Rent	40	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Not exceeding 5 Years' and above 4 Years' Rent—																																				
(a.) With Minor Improvements	23	11	8	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	69	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(b.) Without Minor Improvements.	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Not exceeding 4 Years and above 3 Years' Rent—																																				
(a.) With Minor Improvements	9	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(b.) Without Minor Improvements	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Not exceeding 3 Years' and above 2 Years Rent	7	6	1	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Not exceeding 2 Years' and above 1 Years Rent.	7	6	2	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Not exceeding 1 Year's Rent,	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	87	43	9	4	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	0	—	—	2	1	1	1	20	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—

a Two of the 6 Dismisses not filed or costs made out

b Not stated in return whether with or without Minor Improvements.

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS.—TABLE 4. PROCEEDINGS at LAND SESSIONS under the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870, showing AMOUNT CLAIMED and AWARDED with COSTS.—*continued*

PROCEEDINGS.	Donegal	Down	Dublin County	Dublin City	Fermanagh	Galway County, including Galway Town (Recorder's Court)	Kerry	Kildare	Kilkenny County
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount of all Claims lodged,	a12,469 19 2	3,891 1 8	1,590 6 3		10,320 1 4	52 905 8 5	1,404 0 0	1 178 10 6	179 0 0
Amount claimed in Cases settled or disposed of otherwise than by Decree or Dismissal on hearing	b5,891 19 2	1,384 13 6	569 14 6		6,544 16 10	d1 310 14 0	446 0 0	647 10 0	146 10 0
Amount claimed in Cases on Dismiss on hearing	c1,858 0 0	674 2 6	98 1 6		841 8 0	f780 14 5	605 3 0	80 0 2	—
Amount claimed in Cases in which there were Decrees	g2 208 0 0	1,842 3 6	925 12 0		3,241 13 0	h803 1 0	381 0 0	450 8 0	23 10 0
COMPENSATION AWARDED AT LAND SESSIONS									
Amount of Claims established by Decrees	i318 12 0	925 7 16	158 10 6		440 11 6	j107 2 5	218 13 0	70 4 0	8 0 0
Amount allowed in Decrees for set-off, objection, default or conduct of Tenant	k96 4 6	—	—		62 16 2	—	100 1 11	—	7 0 0
Net sums decreed or paid to Claimant	l714 0 0	925 7 16	158 10 0		380 15 4	j107 2 5	100 17 7	70 4 0	1 0 0
APPEALS TO JUDGE OF ASSIZE.									
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees increased	0 0 0				—	—	—	—	—
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees reduced	—				—	1	—	—	1
CASES IN COURT OF LAND CASES RESERVED									
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees increased	—				—	1	—	—	1
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees reduced	—				—	—	—	—	—
OTHER PROCEEDINGS									
Amount of Compensation awarded in arbitrations recorded	—				—	—	—	—	—
Amount lodged by Respondents under 21st section	—				—	1	—	—	1
Amount of Compensation paid out by Clerk of Peace	(1070) 194 6 0				—	—	—	—	—
Amount charged upon Holdings under 27th section	—				—	—	—	—	—
COSTS AND EXPENSES ALLOWED									
To Claimants in Decrees,	m28 14 4				—	—	—	—	—
,, Respondents in Dismisses,	n16 1 0				—	—	—	—	2 5 0
,, Claimants on Appeals at Assizes,	—				—	—	—	—	—
,, Respondents on Appeals at Assizes	—				—	—	—	—	—
,, Claimants on Cases reserved,	—				—	—	—	—	—
,, Respondents on Cases reserved,	—				—	—	—	—	—

SCALE OF COMPENSATION FOR LOSS ON QUITTING HOLDING	Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal	
Number of Cases—(1) where Decrees were made (2) of Appeal, where each Class of the Scale was claimed and allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed
1 Not exceeding 7 Years and above 6 Years Rent													6	—														
2 Not exceeding 6 Years and above 4 Years Rent—																									1	1		
(a) With Minor Improvements													1	0					2	2								
(b) Without Minor Improvements																												
3 Not exceeding 4 Years and above 3 Years Rent																												
(a) With Minor Improvements													0	3														
(b) Without Minor Improvements																												
4 Not exceeding 3 Years' and above 2 Years Rent													3															
5 Not exceeding 2 Years' and above 1 Year's Rent													1															
6 Not exceeding 1 Year's Rent																									1	1		
													10	10					2	2					1	1		

a Including £1,520 for the year 1870
b Including £300 for 1870
c Including £94 6s for 1870
d Including £572 7s. for 1870
e Including £70 for 1870
f Including £61 8s. for 1870—
g Including £888 16s for 1870
h Including £265 for 1870
i Including £110 12s for 1870
j Including £28 2s 2d. for 1870.
k Including £16 4s for 1870
l Including £4 11s 8d. for 1870
m Including £2 2s. for 1870
n Including £2 2s. for 1870

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS.—TABLE 4.—PROCEEDINGS at LAND SESSIONS under the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870, showing AMOUNT CLAIMED and AWARDED with COSTS—*continued.*

PROCEEDINGS.	King's.	Leitrim	Limerick.	Londonderry	Longford.	Louth	Mayo	Meath	Monaghan
	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s d	£ s. d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d
Amount of all Claims lodged,	—	618,936 6 6	4 511 17 6	18 106 17 1	141 6 6	65 0 10	34,335 16 6	3,116 14 7	1,167 19 6
Amount claimed in Cases settled or disposed of otherwise than by Decree or Dismiss on hearing	—	16,044 6 6	2,847 14 3	5,058 4 1	—	—	5,574 11 9	2,055 4 8	—
Amount claimed in Cases to Dismiss on hearing	—	2,712 18 3	975 1 3	2 046 0 6	141 6 6	65 0 10	550 11 6	—	—
Amount claimed in Cases in which there were Decrees,	—	222 10 0	291 2 3	4,156 13 6	—	—	721 7 3	161 16 4	1,167 19 6
COMPENSATION AWARDED AT LAND SESSIONS									
Amount of Claims established by Decrees	—	169 5 0	147 12 2	2116 3 6	—	—	217 7 6	75 2 6	373 6 6
Amount allowed in Decrees for set-off objection default or conduct of Tenant.	—	51 0 11	46 10 11	945 13 11	—	—	167 4 9	—	12 7 9
Net sums decreed or paid to Claimant.	—	58 4 1	100 12 6	1,575 12 10	—	—	50 2 9	75 2 6	360 18 9
APPEALS TO JUDGE OF ASSIZE									
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees increased	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees reduced.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	142 10 2
CASES IN COURT OF LAND CASES RESERVED									
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees increased.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees reduced	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
OTHER PROCEEDINGS									
Amount of Compensation awarded in arbitrations recorded	—	—	—	26 6 6	—	—	—	—	
Amount lodged by Respondents under 21st section.	—	54 18 6	—	782 16 0	—	—	—	—	
Amount of Compensation paid out by Clerk of Peace.	—	54 17 6	—	187 6 6	—	—	—	—	
Amount charged upon Holdings under 27th section	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
COSTS AND EXPENSES ALLOWED									
To Claimants in Decrees	—	7 8 0	3 1 4	86 0 0	—	—	16 6 6	3 16 0	Not returned.
,, Respondents in Dismisses,	—	4 11 6	10 10 6	7 10 0	2 3 6	4 4 6	5 13 6	4 11 6	
,, Claimants on Appeals at Assizes,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
,, Respondents on Appeals at Assizes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
,, Claimants on Cases reserved,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
,, Respondents on Cases reserved,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

SCALE OF COMPENSATION FOR LOSS ON QUITTING HOLDING	Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal.		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal	
Number of Cases—(1) where Decrees were made, (2) of Appeal, where each Class of the Scale was claimed and allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Claimed.	Allowed.
1 Not exceeding 7 Years' and above 5 Years Rent.					3	3			1	1									6				2	2				
2 Not exceeding 5 Years and above 4 Years Rent—																												
(a.) With Minor Improvements					1	1			d1	d1										1								
(b.) Without Minor Improvements																				1								
3 Not exceeding 4 Years' and above 3 Years Rent—																												
(a.) With Minor Improvements.																				1								
(b.) Without Minor Improvements																												
4 Not exceeding 3 Years and above 2 Years Rent.																												
5 Not exceeding 2 Years' and above 1 Year's Rent.																				2								
6 Not exceeding 1 Year's Rent,																												
					4	4			2	2									8	5			2	2				

a Including £3,655 2s. 6d. for 1870 b Including £160 12s. 2d. for year 1870 c Information as to the scale of compensation not given in Return for Londonderry d Not stated in Return whether with or without minor improvements

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PROCEEDINGS.	QUEEN'S.	ROSCOMMON	SLIGO	TIPPERARY	TYRONE.	WATERFORD.	WESTMEATH	WEXFORD	WICKLOW
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount of all Claims lodged	2,102 6 1	1 920 10 7	c4,178 0 10	52 402 1 6	8,475 0 8	2 838 12 0	778 17 0	947 0 6	5,304 10 0
Amount claimed in Cases settled or disposed of otherwise than by Decree or Dismiss on hearing	419 10 2	1,614 17 1	1,713 0 11	494 11 0	6,260 16 10	2,015 1 4	644 10 0	—	64 0 0
Amount claimed in Cases on Dismiss on hearing	1 425 7 6	95 0 0	—	1,973 10 8	400 4 0	440 1 7	—	—	386 5 0
Amount claimed in Cases in which there were Decrees.	258 7 0	240 19 0	2,465 0 11	347 12 0	2,717 19 10	204 0 0	235 17 6	547 0 0	5,014 7 0
COMPENSATION AWARDED AT LAND SESSIONS.									
Amount of Claims established by Decrees.	41 17 6	45 0 0	c377 0 0	166 12 0	1 402 0 2	235 10 0	105 14 0	186 16 7	386 10 0
Amount allowed in Decrees for set-off objection, default or conduct of Tenant.	18 2 0	—	3 15 0	—	185 14 0	35 18 4	17 14 0	0 15 0	2 10 0
Net sums decreed or paid to Claimant	23 15 0	45 0 0	273 0 0	166 12 0	1,296 0 2	199 12 2	148 0 0	126 1 7	361 0 0
APPEALS TO JUDGE OF ASSIZE									
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees increased.	—	19 19 4	62 1 0	—	24 7 0	—	—	—	—
Amount by which net sums in original Decrees reduced.	19 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	40 0 0	47 0 10	—
CASES IN COURT OF LAND CASES RESERVED									
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees increased		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount by which net sums in previous Decrees reduced		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
OTHER PROCEEDINGS									
Amount of Compensation awarded in arbitrations recorded		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount lodged by Respondents under 21st section		—	246 0 0	—	710 18 2	—	—	—	—
Amount of Compensation paid out by Clerk of Peace.		—	240 0 0	—	718 18 2	—	—	—	—
Amount charged upon Holdings under 37th section		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
COSTS AND EXPENSES ALLOWED.	Not returned.								
To Claimants in Decrees,		5 13 4	5 13 0	2 15 0	89 5 8	58 0 0	2 3 0	3 14 0	6 0 0
„ Respondents in Dismisses		3 15 8	—	—	12 3 0	18 0 0	—	—	—
„ Claimants on Appeals at Assizes,		7 8 8	6 11 8	—	10 8 0	—	—	—	—
„ Respondents on Appeals at Assizes		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
„ Claimants on Cases reserved,		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
„ Respondents on Cases reserved,		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

SCALE OF COMPENSATION FOR LOSS ON QUITTING HOLDING

Number of Cases—(1) where Decree were made (2) of Appeal Where each class of the Scale was claimed and allowed

	QUEEN'S.				ROSCOMMON				SLIGO				TIPPERARY				TYRONE.				WATERFORD.				WESTMEATH				WEXFORD				WICKLOW			
	Where Decree were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made. *d*		In Cases of Appeal *d*		Where Decrees were made.		In Cases of Appeal		Where Decrees were made		In Cases of Appeal	
	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed	Claimed	Allowed
1 Not exceeding 7 Years' and above 5 Years' Rent	.												1	1		.	4	1	.						1	1			0				—	—		
2. Not exceeding 5 Years' and above 4 Years' Rent—																																				
(a.) With Minor Improvements.			—		2	2	1	1	1		1		—	—	—	—	2	—	1						1	1			1							
(b.) Without Minor Improvements.							—	—			•						•	•																		
3 Not exceeding 4 Years and above 3 Years' Rent—																																				
(a.) With Minor Improvements.							—	—					1	1		.	1		1																	
(b.) Without Minor Improvements																																				
4 Not exceeding 3 Years and above 2 Years' Rent.	.																4																			
5. Not exceeding 2 Years and above 1 Year's Rent.									2		1	1	.				1								•								1		2	
6. Not exceeding 1 Year's Rent,	.	.					.						1	1			1																.			
	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	1	3	—	2	1	3	3	—	—	7	7	1	1					2	2			4	—	1	.	3	—	—	

a Including £55 12s. 6d. for the year 1870

b Including £328 18s. for the year 1870.

c Including a decision on claim for improvements to be registered part of claim allowed, but without sums of money allowed The claim was for £1 618

d Information as to scale of compensation not given for Waterford

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS—TABLE 5 CIVIL BILLS other than EJECTMENTS and other than Causes remitted from Superior Courts for the year **1871**, made by Clerks of the Peace and Registrars of Recorders.

COUNTIES.	Number of Civil Bills entered.	Causes Defended.	Heard by a Jury	Judgment for Plaintiff: Decrees other than by Consent	Judgment for Plaintiff: Decrees by Consent.	Judgment for Defendant: Dismiss without Prejudice	Judgment for Defendant: Dismiss on the Merits	Remaining over	Otherwise disposed of	Number of Causes in which the sums stated in the Decrees to be due were—: 40s. and under	£2 and above 40s.	£10 and above £2.	£20 and above £10.	£50 and above £20.	Over £50	Decrees obtained by Plaintiff on Original Hearing: Amount of Debts Exclusive of Costs.	Amount of Costs, exclusive of Stamps	Probate or Administration Cases heard.	Ejectments heard.
																£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
LEINSTER																			
Carlow,	493	254	6	226	45	26	25		161	71	66	60	43	12	3	2 108 17 3	—		3
Dublin (1870)	[1,750	287		1,047		101	13		686	229	252	234	193	39		6,467 10 1	—		]
" City (Recorder's Court)	[3,704	744	5	1,515	663	349	64		1,663	326	367	546	568	98		15,665 14 2	10,022 12 10		
Kildare,	373	266	1	199	38	61	45		263	54	98	44	42	8		1 437 6 0½	84 14 6		4
Kilkenny,	1,473	436	32	1 005	76	60	86		260	433	326	130	60	45	12	5,550 0 0	266 0 0		6
King's County,	735	254		321	13	24	32	11	332	66	110	62	47	15	1	2,414 7 2½	102 10 0		
Longford,	101	277	6	363	11	13	35	5	336	84	91	67	55	14	6	2,297 1 6	61 5 6		6
Louth,	787	235	5	380	42	11	45	21	226	131	127	66	65	16	1	2 702 0 16	150 12 6	3	10
Meath,	357	173		240	5	25	30	6	83	46	62	61	38	12		102 2 6	—		
Queen's County (1869),	[758		1	374	37	28	32		287	135	134	84	46	15	3	2 260 6 3	—	26	2]
Westmeath,	445	211		116	16	62	40	22	102	54	60	24	25	16	—	1 152 16 4	61 17 6		
Wexford,	1 390	354	4	756	76	61	41		417	256	227	156	125	41	—	5,166 6 4	424 7 6		
Wicklow,	273	111	2	121	16	36	14		38	35	43	28	21	6	—	674 15 9	40 0 0		
Total,	13 411	3 666	61	6,789	1,062	815	586	61	4 140	1 606	2,487	1 703	1279	386	28	46,737 0 11	11,285 18 10	26	37
MUNSTER																			
Clare,	1,983	786	16	186	32	181	186	6	80a	263	259	137	107	28	21	5,804 0 3	345 5 0		6
Cork, East Riding	4,848	1,164	0	2,348	13	382	140	40	1,360	784	1,016	624	402	90	2	a—	—	1	5
" West Riding,	2,154	666		1 030	32	77	132	31	766	922	2o3	325	150	72		4 793 13 4	—		
" City (Recorder's Court, 1869),	[1,007		5	680	48	52	36		5346	132	269	122	124	30	5	4,634 0 0	—		]
Kerry	3 936	1 461	3	1,572	56	367	201	20	1,167	680	528	263	127	18	2	6 444 16 4	647 12 0	6	3
Limerick	3,267	1,057	2	1,547	127	185	115	21	1,195	568	536	668	144	41	5	6 316 8 6	669 1 6		61
Tipperary, North Riding,	3 376	862	—	2 667	25	264	147	20	663	694	661	428	23a	86	18	11 946 4 7	950 17 2		1a
" South Riding																			
Waterford,	1 146	366	4	597	60	87	60	43	299	225	216	113	88	26	1	6 305 5 7	350 6 6		7
Total	21,100	6 580	30	10 961	508	1 515	1 018	196	6 817	3 568	4 675	2 951	1 476	410	54	46 522 11 7	2 808 18 2	7	111
ULSTER																			
Antrim (1870),	[4 640	1,697	3	2 136	126	256	117	14	1 361	163	752	436	269	18	2	16 611 6 o	854 16 6	2	61
Armagh	4 070	1,117	3	3,424	16	276	128		1o6	765	873	1o6	684	62		17,698 17 4	1 266 7 6		
Belfast (Recorder's Court),	3 025	856	1	1 744	146	168	62		941	691	648	311	176	59		8 658 7 11	525 8 6		
Cavan,	1 044	710	6	826		30	67	14	647	268	282	163	106	82		4,362 15 3	267 16 9	2	12
Donegal,	2 742	670	8	1 o39	16	118	83	63	863	433	90a	333	216	44	4	6 560 6 6	630 0 6		5
Down, {approximated by adding 50 per cent. to Armagh}	[6 61o	1,676	4	o 135	24	414	207		234	1,148	1,366	1,134	1,478	93	.	26 545 6 6	1,065 16 6		]
Fermanagh,	2 260	505		517	73	71	63		542	147	136	93	69	18	6	3 514 2 3	213 14 6		4
Londonderry,	2,316	1 285		1,321	4	51	117		1 226	443	4,11	294	126	26		7 672 17 6	463 4 6		15
" (Recorder's Court)	378	140		201	15	16	14		134	46	62	47	23	6		1,170 16 5	67 16 6		
Monaghan,	1,722	540	8	898	37	150	50	54	646	247	272	162	111	28	1	4 167 16 2	—	2	8
Tyrone,	4,855	1,740		1 086	5	306	242	350	1 004	661	0o5	468	21o	54		10,670 7 11	689 12 6	1	
Total	32,187	10 816	75	10 633	586	1,925	1 130	442	8 577	6 505	5,906	4 154	3 736	847	12	163 374 1 6	6 304 1 0	7	126
CONNAUGHT																			
Galway,	1,o8o	365	5	214	33	181	116		630	330	325	167	86	33	.	4,792 2 10	396 12 6		2
" Town (Recorder's Court),	165	46		81	10	7	8		26	46	82	13	6	1		366 3 6	36 13 6	.	
Leitrim,	1,210	711	1	431	6	66	71	125	477	166	102	96	42	9		1 982 17 3	123 13 0		1
Mayo,	3,253	1 890		1,276	8	319	264	263	1 151	504	404	164	66	16	10	5,078 15 2	656 5 6		786
Roscommon (1870),	[1,001	411	6	530	21	47	44	6	446	172	191	116	61	17	4	3 130 15 6	277 1 6	1	7]
Sligo,	1 232	701	7	473	16	77	16	161	483	189	157	72	67	7		2,162 10 11	244 16 4		8
Total,	8 616	4 o18	15	3 006	102	697	582	466	3 530	1 567	1 219	630	324	83	14	16 126 4 11	1,632 14 10	1	22
Total of Ireland,	75,573	25,416	133	41,646	2,060	5 024	3,369	1 164	22,664	12 606	13,833	8 848	6,864	1 365	104	223,758 13 11	22 751 16 4	46	305

a Amount not stated by Clerk of Peace.

b Including cases remaining over

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COURTS OF CHAIRMEN OF COUNTIES AND RECORDERS—TABLE 6. PROCEEDINGS in CAUSES remitted from the SUPERIOR COURTS, in the Year 1871.

CAUSES REMITTED UNDER STATUTE 33&34 VIC. c. 109 — COUNTIES	Number of Summonses and Plaints lodged with Clerk of Peace	Causes Defended.	Heard by a Jury	Judgment for Plaintiff: Decrees after Hearing by Consent.	Judgment for Plaintiff: Decrees by Consent	Judgment for Defendant: Dismissed without Prejudice.	Judgment for Defendant: Dismissed on the Merits.	Remaining over	Otherwise disposed of	Number of Causes in which the Sums stated in the Decrees to be due were—: £5 and under	£5 and above £5	£10 and above £20	£20 and above £40	£40 and above £20.	Over £40.	Decrees obtained by Plaintiff on Original Hearing: Amount of Debts, exclusive of Costs	Amount of Costs, exclusive of Stamps
	Actions of Contract, Sec. 8.	Actions of Tort, Sec. 8.	Actions of Contract, Sec. 9.	Actions of Tort, Sec. 9

JURORS' SESSIONS.—TABLE II.—PROCEEDINGS in revision of JURORS' LISTS of COUNTIES at large in the Year 1871, from Returns by the CLERKS of the PEACE

JURORS' SESSIONS DISTRICTS, IN COUNTIES, COUNTIES OF CITIES OR OF TOWNS AND IN PROVINCES	Population (1871).	Number of Jurors on List as amended by Justices.	Statutable Qualifications:					Other Qualifications than preceding appearing on Jurors' Lists.										Number of Magistrates:		Number of Men returned as qualified by High Constables or other Officers.	Number struck off List by Justices at Jurors' Sessions		Number added to List by Justices at Jurors' Sessions.	
			Rural Districts and Towns.		In Towns only			Total.	Houses and Leaseholders.	Leaseholders.	Householders in Country Districts.	Retail Occupiers.	Tenants at Will.	Yearly Tenants.	£100 Personal Property.	No Qualification.	Other Qualifications and Qualifications not Classified.	Attending Jurors' Sessions.	Attending Adjourned Jurors' Sessions.		On Application of Parties.	On Notice.	On Application of Parties.	On Notice.
			Freeholders and Fee Simple.	Leaseholders.	Resident Merchants.	Freemen.	Householders.																	
LEINSTER.																								
CARLOW: Carlow, Tullow,		311 493	538 12	76 4	2		71 30	319		319								4 4		890 476	2	1		
Total,	51,412	1,250	679	80	2		170	319		319								8		1,366	2	1	—	
DUBLIN: Entire County (1868),	159,993	4 222	109	1,660			2,332	66		56										4253	31		—	
KILDARE: Athy, Naas,	—	447 686	18 168	218 302	— 1		16 28	130 76	—	15	—		20			110 1	—	3 3	3	440 373	7 7			
Total,	34 185	1 113	246	611	1		44	211		75			20			110		6	3	1123	10		—	
KILKENNY: Kilkenny, Thomastown,		597 1,167	20 30	350 324	4 11		40 10	310 320			310 320						1 1	67	(	508 1128	11 21			
Total,	96 838	1 764	50	680	15		119	330			330							7		1 636	3			
KING'S COUNTY: Birr, Philipstown, Tullamore,		176 84 90	126	207			15	10		10								3 4 4	— — —	194 90 197	3 6 4	—		
Total,	75 731	368	126	207			15	10		10								11		481	13			
LONGFORD: Ballymahon, Longford,		122 232	64 63	23 164	3		23	—	—	—	—	—						4 3		197 285	6 2		3	
Total,	64 462	373	127	193	2		23											7		381	8		2	
LOUTH	60,603	380	95	225			60											3		180				
MEATH: Kells, Dunshaughlin,		235 630						132 630									132 630	3 3		735 691	13 31	—	17 29	
Total,	94,480	1 462						1 462									1,462	6		1 180	44	—	46	
QUEEN'S COUNTY: Ballinakill (1868), Grelgue (1868), Maryborough (1868),		422 208 434	230 7 117	36 3 45	1		7 125 218	60 182 72	130			87			68		3 2 4	3 3	3	420 274 457	10 0 1		12 •	
Total,	77 971	1 142	413	84	1		350	204	130			87			68		9	6	3	1 147	617		12	
WESTMEATH: Moate, Mullingar,	—	232 672	82 123	119 374	26 67	3	63 118	—	—	—	—	—						3	3	294 679		1 7	1	
Total,	78,415	904	205	493	93	3	181	—										3	7	971		8	1	
WEXFORD: Gorey, Wexford,		705 822	182 183	283 614	1 1		209 55	10						16		3		4 5		725 832	—			
Total,	132,365	1 561	330	897	2		264	10						15		3		9		1 557				
WICKLOW: Baltinglass (1870), Wicklow (1870), c		[178 [471	17 30	101 407			4										1 1	3	[[	179 474	1 4		1	[ ] [ ]
Total,	78,503	649	17	508			4											3		653	5		1	
TOTAL OF COUNTIES OF PROVINCE	1 053,191	15 196	2 562	5,703	165	6	3,532	3,361	130	410	630	87	20	16	68	3	1 607	99	9	15,312	187	11	62	

a The number of Magistrates attending Jurors' Sessions not inserted in Return for 1871 but the number for 1870 is stated as an approximation

b Including those struck off on notice

c The Magistrates of Wicklow did not hold any Jurors' Sessions under the old Act in 1871, expecting that the Lord Lieutenant would name a time for the new Act to come into operation

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JURORS' SESSIONS DISTRICTS, IN COUNTIES COUNTIES OF CITIES OR OF TOWNS, AND IN PROVINCES.	Population (1871).	Number of Jurors on List recommended by Justices	Statutable Qualifications.					Other Qualifications than preceding appearing on Jurors' Lists										Number of Magistrates attending Jurors' Sessions.		Number of Non-returned as published by High Constables, &c., officers	Number struck off List by Justices at Jurors' Sessions		Number added to List by Justices at Jurors' Sessions	
			Rural Districts and Towns		In Towns only			Total	House and Landholders.	Landholders.	Householders in Country Districts.	Rated Occupiers.	Tenants-at Will	Yearly Tenants	£140 Personal Property	No Qualification.	Other Qualifications, and Qualifications not classified	Attending Jurors' Sessions.	Attending Adjourned Jurors' Sessions.		On Application of Parties	On Notice.	On Application of Parties	On Notice.
			Freeholders and Fee Simple.	Leaseholders.	Resident Merchants	Freemen	Householders.																		
MUNSTER.																									
CLARE—																									
Ennis and Ennistymon,	—	813	691	76	5		41											4	4	320	7			
Kilrush,	—	205	177	28														3	3	210	5			
Total,	147 894	1,018	868	104	5		41											7	7	1,030	12			
CORK EAST RIDING—																									
Cork,		[1,200	154	1,000			130											7		1 300	10			
Mallow,		734	198	470			66											4		737	3			
Midleton,	—	1,112	876	862		2	16	74							74			3	—	1,132	17			
Total	201,894	3,142	718	2 135		2	221	74							74			14	—	3,170	30	—		
CORK, WEST RIDING—																									
Bandon,	—	572	93	413	—	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			975	1			
Bantry,	—	404	26	236	—	—	116	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			407	3			
Macroom,	—	161	14	147	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			161				
Total	172 200	1,137	133	828	—	—	174	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			1,141	4			
KERRY—																									
Killarney,	—	372	21	178	6		193											3		378	3			
Listowel,	—	270	178	53			42											3		284	7	1	2	
Tralee,	—	259	113	82	1		163											3		665	0	3		
Total,	196,014	1,011	313	318	6		373											9		1,075	10	4	2	
LIMERICK—																									
Limerick		1,270	136	997	4		8	428		420								4		1,279	5		1	
Rathkeale,		724	95	113			2	508		500								3		726	6		2	
Total,	151,485	1,992	233	910	4		10	936		936								7	—	2 007	11		3	
TIPPERARY—																									
Cashel	—	710	135	438	2	—	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	724	14	—	—	
Clonmel,	—	220	50	—	—	—	175	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	231	6	—	—	
Nenagh,	—	332	273	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	332	2	—	2	
Thurles,	—	169	73	96	—	—	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	—	150	1	—	—	
Total,	123 224	1 425	551	612	2	—	259	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	—	1 447	24	—	2	
WATERFORD—																									
Dungarvon	—	386	44	178	—	—	50	178		128	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	290	5	—	—	
Lismore,	—	127	10	15	—	—	22	130		120	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	127	—	—	—	
Waterford,	—	506	22	181	—	—	10	277	—	270	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	819	13	—	—	
Total,	93 488	1 068	86	314	—	—	91	577	—	578	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	9	—	1,936	18	—	—	
TOTAL OF COUNTIES OF PROVINCE,	1,242,205	10,800	2,852	5,120	20	2	1,175	1,587		1.511			—		74		2	50	7	10,968	112	4	6	
ULSTER.																									
ANTRIM—																									
Ballymena (1870)		[1 351	353	514			330	104		—	—	—	92	—	—	—	53	0	—	1,351				
Belfast (1870)		[3 000	824	823	40		1 462	270	258	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	4		3,385	5	74	1	
Total (1870),	988 195a	[4 450	1 037	1 337	40		1 812	424	258	—	—	—	92	—	—	—	70	7	—	4 724	0	74	1	
DOWN—																									
(Estimated at 50 per cent added to Armagh)		[1,294	393	540	—	1	351	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	—	1,300	19	—	4	
ARMAGH—																									
Armagh,	—	286	46	92	—	—	81	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	[3]	—	206	—	—	—	
Lurgan	—	323	103	109	—	—	109	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	[3]	—	327	7	—	3	
Markethill	—	334	94	154	—	1	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	[3]	—	334	—	—	—	
Total,	179 921	863	242	306	—	1	254	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	b [9]	—	867	7	—	3	
CAVAN—																									
Cavan		434	130	253			41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	434	—	—	—	
Cootehill,		269	43	254			22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	302	6		—	
Total,	140 535	703	173	492			63	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	736	3		—	

a The population includes both Antrim and Down as the Census Returns from which the figures are taken does not state how much of the population of Belfast is in each county
b The number of Magistrates attending Jurors' Sessions not stated in Return for 1871, but the figures of 1870 are inserted as an approximation.

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JURORS' SESSIONS.—TABLE II.—PROCEEDINGS in revision of JURORS' LISTS of COUNTIES at large in the Year 1871, from Returns by the CLERKS of the PEACE.—con.

JURORS' SESSIONS DISTRICTS, IN COUNTIES, COUNTIES OF CITIES OR OF TOWNS, AND IN PROVINCES.	Population (1871)	Numbers of Jurors on List as amended by Justices	Statutable Qualifications: Rural Districts and Towns. Freeholders and Fee Simple.	Leaseholders.	In Towns only: Resident Merchants.	Freemen.	Householders.	Other Qualifications than preceding appearing on Jurors' Lists: Total.	Houses and Landholders.	Landholders.	Householders in Country Districts.	Rated Occupiers.	Tenants-at-Will.	Yearly Tenants.	£10 Personal Property.	No Qualification.	Other Qualifications, and Qualifications not Classified.	Number of Magistrates: Attending Jury Sessions.	Attending Adjourned Jury Sessions.	Number of Men returned as qualified for Petty Constables or other Offices.	Number struck off List by Justices at Jurors' Sessions: On Application of Parties.	On Notice.	Number added to List by Justices at Jurors' Sessions: On Application of Parties.	On Notice.
ULSTER—*continued.*																								
DONEGAL— Donegal, . . Lifford, . .	—	229	76	120	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	230	1	—	—	—
	—	708	360	360	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	710	1	—	—	—
Total, . .	217,992	937	376	480	85	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	940	5	—	—	—
FERMANAGH— Enniskillen, . . Newtownbutler, . .	—	643	316	226	30	—	174	69	—	—	—	69	73	84	—	—	—	6	3	869	9	—	2	—
	—	371	184	197	32	—	95	192	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	676	14	—	12	—
Total . .	62,688	1,014	510	425	59	—	269	261	—	—	—	69	73	84	—	—	—	8	5	1,545	23	—	14	—
LONDONDERRY (County and City) . . Coleraine (1869), . . Londonderry (1868), . .	—	[617	330	8	2	—	276	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	919	2	—	—	1
	—	[1,237	173	127	—	—	935	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	1,237	—	—	—	—
Total, . .	173,932	2,354	1,005	135	2	—	1,211	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	2,156	2	—	—	1
MONAGHAN— Castleblayney, . . Monaghan, . .	—	204	58	76	41	—	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	213	9	—	—	—
	—	288	55	150	36	—	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	293	2	—	—	—
Total, . .	116 785	492	133	226	77	—	76	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	503	11	—	—	—
TYRONE— Clogher, . . Dungannon, . . Omagh, . . Strabane, . .	—	147	21	104	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	147	—	1	1	—
	—	495	208	192	—	—	161	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	503	3	10	—	—
	—	363	114	176	—	—	106	6	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	394	1	—	—	—
	—	461	120	253	—	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	462	—	1	—	—
Total, . .	215 666	1 496	524	721	—	—	217	4	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	12	—	1 511	4	12	1	—
TOTAL OF COUNTIES OF PROVINCE . .	1,628 946	14,137	4 638	4 766	373	2	4,032	379	253	3	—	89	174	64	—	—	71	76	3	14 276	76	30	23	—
CONNAUGHT																								
GALWAY— Clifden, . . Galway, . . Loughrea, . .	—	67	65	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	88	1	—	—	—
	—	291	96	167	—	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	296	7	—	—	—
	—	647	335	172	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	689	2	—	—	—
Total . .	234 678	855	496	361	3	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	895	10	—	—	—
LEITRIM— Carrick-on-Shannon, . . Manorhamilton . .	—	435	322	109	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	476	—	—	—	—
	—	280	16	264	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	240	3	—	—	—
Total, . .	95 324	715	342	373	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	716	3	—	—	—
MAYO— Ballina, . . Ballymount, . . Castlebar, . .	—	576	24	164	16	—	274	62	—	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	584	14	—	—	—
	—	240	113	40	2	—	84	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	242	2	—	—	—
	—	366	28	56	3	—	208	76	—	70	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	376	14	—	—	—
Total, . .	245 650	1,186	167	260	26	—	566	153	—	103	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	11	1 166	30	—	—	—
ROSCOMMON— Athlone . . Boyle, . .	—	189	47	76	—	—	—	66	—	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	86	3	190	1	—	—	—
	—	572	45	224	—	—	—	263	—	61	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	252	6	576	3	—	—	—
Total, . .	141 240	761	92	300	—	—	—	329	—	99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	280	6	766	4	—	—	—
SLIGO— Ballymote . . Sligo, . .	—	142	24	103	—	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	187	5	—	—	—
	—	271	45	145	—	—	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	262	1	—	—	—
Total, . .	115 811	413	69	254	—	—	90	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	3	449	6	—	—	—
TOTAL OF COUNTIES OF PROVINCE, . .	832 899	3 940	1 176	1 548	23	—	681	522	—	242	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	286	35	3 993	63	—	—	—
TOTAL (Counties at large) . .	4,655 281	44,075	16 902	17,767	419	7	9,936	6,916	333	2226	340	176	194	166	142	2	1,900	241	33	41,463	408	101	55	—

a Including those on notice.

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PROCEEDINGS in the Year 1871, from Returns by

COUNTIES AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS ARRANGED IN PROVINCES	I.—PROCEEDINGS OTHER THAN THOSE FOR DELIVERY OR TAKING POSSESSION OF LAND																								
	Courts held for Election of Coroners	Courts held for Election of Members of Parliament	Courts held under Writ of Trial or Inquiry		Courts held for Compensation under Land Clauses Consolidation Act, &c.	Number of Summonses served on Jurors (Grand and Petit) during the Year				Process executed as Queen's Bailiff				Writs of Quare Impedit, Proceedings in	Writs of Habeas Corpus, Proceedings in	Writs of De Homine Replegiando, Proceedings in	All other Writs—Issuing Writs of Execution	Applications to the Court (or other Proceedings) by Way of Interpleader	Issues directed thereon	Replevin Bonds taken, or Affidavits in Withernam	Writs of Execution from Superior Courts.		
						In Spring and Summer Assizes.	In Special Commissions (if any).	In all Courts of Quarter Sessions, and Civil Bill Courts, presided over by Chairman	All other purposes.	Total.	Poor Conscience taken	Forfeitures	Wreck of the Sea.	All other Cases	Writs of Duress, Proceedings in								Fieri Facias.	Copias ad Satisfaciendum
LEINSTER																									
Carlow						860		326		860								1						33	3
Drogheda, Town of						420		488	144	1 052														2	1
Dublin (1869),																		1	1	3	1			174	133
City of (1870)																		1	2	16	1	3		195	136
Kildare (1870)						853		805		1 643										8				113	92
Kilkenny						468		640		1,108										2	62			36	5
City of						283		463		746														3	2
King's County						320		1,084		1 404														33	14
Longford						462		364		826														17	6
Louth						286		600		886														31	7
Meath						854		813		1,154								1	1	5				70	23
Queen's County						876		1,330		1,736								0		1				36	14
Westmeath				1		410		755	182	1,987														26	8
Wexford		1				461		966		1 427										1	1			67	22
Wicklow				1		200		740	103	943										1	1			24	8
Total of Leinster (except Dublin)	1			3		4,618		9 089	406	14 311								2	3	6	24	7	3	825	796
MUNSTER																									
Clare						486		950		1 436														23	13
Cork					24	560		2 433		2,993														215	74
City				1		342		1 608		5,032														71	48
Kerry						214	56	1 808		2 076														56	11
Limerick		1				336		720		1,106														58	21
City		1				200		436		636								1		1				36	22
Tipperary						840		1 440		2 280								1		3		2		137	81
Waterford				1		442		452		894														36	3
City						136		344		630														5	11
Total of Munster		2	2	24		3 846	56	11 242		15,144								2		1	4	3		833	302
ULSTER																									
Antrim						742		1 825		2 567											1	2		127	66
Down						492		1 130		1673												1		107	47
Armagh						616		1,363		1.976														57	24
Carrickfergus Town						181		130		311														7	4
Cavan						432		779		1 221														34	12
Donegal						462		758		1 180														67	16
Fermanagh					4	456		880		1,336										2	2	1		38	4
Londonderry (approximated by inserting the figures of Armagh)						618		1 380		1,976														97	24
Monaghan (1869)						0450		888		1 338										4				7	2
Tyrone (1870)						670		972		1 642														80	38
Total of Ulster				4		4 958		9,846		14 684										6	6	2	3	626	285
CONNAUGHT																									
Galway						252		840		1,198														36	17
" Town						318	104		733	1,152														22	14
Leitrim						680		968		1,648	4													45	13
Mayo						785		1 431		2,216	25										1		1	39	11
Roscommon						698		1 858		1,146														33	8
Sligo (approximated from a Return for 4 to 8th of the year by trebling the entries).						0380		900		1,548														12	14
Total of Connaught						3,317	104	5,241	733	9 392	33														
Total of Ireland (except Dublin)	1	2	4	29		16837	160	35 218	1 139	53,471	33							4	9	13	32	9	12	2 413	1 383

a Bells settled b Inquests c Jurors approximated from Fermanagh d The Sheriff makes the Return for Roscommon as approximate only e Jurors approximated from Leitrim.

RETURN of SPECIAL JURORS placed upon the Special Jurors' List, from Returns made by SHERIFFS of Counties of Cities and Towns, 1871

COUNTIES	QUALIFICATIONS.												
	Sons of Peers.	Baronets.	Knights	Magistrates.	Ex Sheriffs	Ex-Grand Jurors at Assizes.	Bankers.	Wholesale Merchants not exercising any Retail Trade	Traders possessed of Personal Property of £30,000 or upwards.	Eldest Sons of any of the Foregoing Classes.	Other Qualifications.	Qualification not stated	Total.
Carrickfergus													
Cork City													
Drogheda				2	46	7	48	3	14	12		10	128
Dublin City					14	4	18	2	10	5	4	a2	59
Galway Town of								(No	Return.)				
Kilkenny City					12		24		3	2		5	61
Limerick City					3	6	45	6	10	5			68
Waterford City					13	4	20		11				48
							25			13	512		48
Total				2	87	21	168	11	85	53	11	14	15	417

a Woollen Drapers. b Nine Merchants, 2 Householders, and 1 Freeman

RETURN of PROCEEDINGS under Special Jurisdiction of Recorders' Courts during the year 1871.

Belfast—appeals from subordinate Courts 6, Galway and Londonderry *nil*, Cork and Dublin no return.

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SHERIFFS OF COUNTIES, AND OF COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS.

II.—PROCEEDINGS FOR THE DELIVERY OR TAKING POSSESSION OF LAND

Population in 1871	Ejectments for Non payment of Rent: Writs of Habere at Superior Courts executed: By Sheriff	By Special Bailiffs	Civil Bill Ejectments executed: By Sheriff	By Special Bailiffs	Total	Other Ejectments: Writs of Habere at Superior Courts executed: By Sheriff	By Special Bailiffs	Civil Bill Ejectments executed: By Sheriff	By Special Bailiffs	Total	Total Ejectments executed.	Number of Ejectments in every 10,000 of Population	Decrees obtained or Processes executed by the Sheriff or Special Bailiffs: Writs of Habere and Decrees executed for Recovery of Lands let for Agricultural purposes, or for mixed purposes, not exceeding without disturbing Ulster Tenant, under 23 & 24 Vict. c. 154 s. 24	Number of Ulster Tenants making ascertainments in their favour (Land Act, 1870, s. 24)	Number of Writs of Removal after partial Execution (Land Act, 1870, s. 56.)	Fresh Executions or Writs on Justices Certificates. (Land Act, 1870, s. 56.)	Writs of Assistance from Court of Chancery	Writs of Assistance from Court of Probate.	Injunctions from Landed Estates Court	Persons under Lands Clauses Act.	Other Process or Order	COUNTIES, AND COUNTIES OF CITIES AND OF TOWNS, ARRANGED IN PROVINCES
51,472		2	1	6	9	1	2		6	9	18	35										LEINSTER. Carlow
14 880												23										Drogheda, Town of
182 933		27	1	25	53						53	33										Dublin (1869)
245 722		58		58	119						116	45							1		1	City of (1869).
84 158	3	5	1	7	16	3	1	2	2	14	29	34	2	6								Kildare (1879)
29 038		1	2	2	15	1			1	1	19	17	1	1								Kilkenny
12,864												30										" City of
75 181	3	—	5	5	11						11	14										King's County
64,498	1		19	3	25	1				1	14	38								1		Longford
23 809				2	2				2	2	7	12										Louth
54 489	5	3	4	2	23	7				7	27	23										Meath
77 671	4	1	5	5	14	1		7	2	10	24	31							1			Queen's County
76 412	1		4	3	8	2	1	3	3	9	17	22	2	12							51	Westmeath
139 535	1			26	27	2	1	1	13	14	41	31										Wexford
18,509	3			3	6		4			4	13	13										Wicklow
1,338 968	26	90	44	158	318	18	3	19	28	14	387	29	5	28					2	1	2	Total of Leinster
147 994	1	7		3	11	19	11			21	29	20	5	3					2			MUNSTER. Clare
457 264	2	93		54	91			2	22	25	125	24							2			Cork
78,822	1		8		9	3	2			5	14	18	4	41								City of
196,614	15		17	4	36	7		4		11	47	23	1	2								Kerry
131 485			15		13	8		8		16	29	12							1			Limerick
39 823			13	4	17						17	14										City of
216,213	5		21		26	18		11		30	56	31							2			Tipperary
56 488	1		6		7	2		4	2	8	15	15	1	1								Waterford
98 337			1		1	1				1	1	30										" City
1 389,143	23	93	89	62	266	48	13	38	25	116	322	23	13	82	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	Total of Munster
268,128	10		18		28	2		27		27	55	13	1	12					2		c1139	ULSTER. Antrim
	6		45		45	3		15		22	67								1			Down
129,221	3		30		33			15		19	48	37							2			Armagh
5,462								1		1	1	1										Carrickfergus
146 566			3	10	13	3		5	10	21	39	26							1			Cavan
317,992			24		24	3		31	4	38	62	19	2	18					2		c35	Donegal
97,272	1		7		8	2		21		27	35	36										Fermanagh
178,032	3		39		36			13		13	49	28								2	J	Londonderry (approximated by inserting the figures of Armagh)
																					J	Monaghan (1869)
112,785	—			10	10				3	3	13	12							1		J	Tyrone (1879)
215 668		1	3	17	23	7		8	14	29	52	24										
1,830,302	32	1	187	43	232	24	—	133	39	196	425	23	4	30	—	—	—	—	3	2	1 474	Total of Ulster
235 373	3	2	17	2	24	—	—	1		1	25	11							1			CONNAUGHT. Galway
184,184	3		17		20	—	—				20	15	1				1		3			" Town
36,324	1		3		5	4		13		14	19	20							1			Leitrim
245 856	10		19		29	2		9		11	42	10										Mayo
141,542	1	2	5	8	16						29	14									J	Roscommon
115,311			12	—	12	15		3	—	18	30	26	6	27								Sligo (approximated from a Return for 4 months of the year by trebling the entries.)
845 393	18	4	73	13	110	21		26		44	154	18	7	27		1			5	—	—	Total of Connaught
5,482,826	99	139	393	284	861	111	22	203	92	427	1283	24	26	171		1		2	21	3	1 479	Total of Ireland

a In the population and the estimate based upon it Down and Antrim are taken together, inasmuch as the population of Belfast, which is estimated in both Counties, has not been distributed between the two Counties in the Census Return from which those figures have been taken.

b Writ of Restitution Court of Queen's Bench.

c Civil Bill Decrees and Dismisses executed

LOCAL CHARTER COURTS.—TABLE of PROCEEDINGS in LORD MAYOR'S COURT and COURTS of CONSCIENCE in the Year 1871, compiled from Returns made by the REGISTRARS

NAMES OF COURTS.	Number of Summonses Issued.	Number of Causes Heard.	Number of Decisions. For Plaintiff	For Defendant.	Otherwise Disposed of	Amount recovered in all such Causes	Number of Executions Issued	Amount of Fees Collected.	Application of Fees. To the President.	To Officers, &c.
						£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Clonmel Court of Conscience,	92	63	46	10	7	26 6 6	6	2 18 2	4 12 3	5 1 2
Drogheda ditto,	37	34	26	13		35 6 11		4 17 3	—	4 17 0
Dublin (Lord Mayor's Court) (1870),	[1,453	1,280	320	323	56	333 0 0	75	153 0 2	88 0 2a	65 0 2]
Dublin Court of Conscience (1868),	[3,333	2,733	2,255	193	286	b 1,137 2 3	438	345 4 7	133 11 11	133 11 11 b
Kilkenny ditto,	188	141	133	2	33	31 1 0	—	9 3 3	c—	c—
Limerick ditto,	1 534	1,172	721	311		151 14 3	250	72 14 0	—	73 14 0
Londonderry ditto,	874	873	328	47		114 16 10	125	49 19 0	21 17 2	28 2 0
Wexford ditto,	142	137	83	16	3	63 13 4	6	8 13 3	4 3 3	5 9 3
Total,	6 293	5,813	4 489	393	426	3,193 2 3	899	654 3 2	293 4 7	345 18 2

a To Secretary

b Not returned, estimated from proportion in 1868.

c Paid to Corporation

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RETURN of PROCEEDINGS in the Year 1871, as to the ATTENDANCE of MAGISTRATES and the NUMBER of CIVIL CASES other than PROCEEDINGS as to COTTIER TENANTS, and as to COTTIER TENANTS under STATUTE 23 & 24 VIC., c. 154, and as to OVERHOLDING TENANTS in TOWNS under 14 & 15 VIC., c. 93, made by CLERKS of PETTY SESSIONS.

PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES COUNTIES OF CITIES, OR OF TOWNS, AND PROVINCES.	Attendance of Magistrates, and Number of Civil Cases other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants.					Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements for Waste. 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 84				Summary Recovery of Possession for Non-payment of Rent. 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 85.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding. 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 86				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding in Towns. 14 & 15 Vic., c. 93, s. 15			
	Number of Days on which Petty Sessions held	Number of days on which only one Magistrate, whether Local or Stipendiary attended.	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended	Number of days on which not holden for Non-attendance of Magistrates	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiff signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 86.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 86.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 86.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard.	Warrant to Special Bailiff signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days or 14 days and 6 months under undertaking to give up possession Sec. 93.
LEINSTER.																					
CARLOW (7)																					
Bagenalstown,	11	1	1		112					4	1			8	4	4	—	17	16	7	
Borris,	11		2		264					1	1			1	7	1					
Carlow	50	2	4		80									2	1	1		34	24	16	
Fenagh	11	7	7	1	7					1								1	1		
Hacketstown	11	1	3	2	81									3	2						
Myshall	11	7	7	2	93									4	4	1		6	4	2	
Tullow	13			1	142									8	3	1					
Total,	138	18	23	6	764					6	2			30	21	8	0	58	39	25	
DROGHEDA, Town of (1),	26				44													55	37	29	
DUBLIN (outside Metropolitan Police District) (12)																					
Balbriggan	25	4	4	1	37													13	11	3	
Blanchardstown	a 27	6	8	1	40																
Cabinteely (1869),	b 2	1	3											1		1					1
Coolock	25	1	7	1	62									2	2						
Drumcondra	24	5	5	1	61									2	2	1					
Dunsrama,	11				179																
Howth	23		3	1	98																
Lucan	25	12	12		68									2	2	2	1	11	9	8	
Rathcoole,	20	12	12	5	37									1	1						
Rathfarnham	26				193																
Swords,	27	4	4		260									1	1						
Tallaght,	25	7	7	3	273																
Total,	281	54	85	13	1,362									9	8	4	1	24	20	11	
DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE DISTRICT (3)																					
Dublin City Northern Division,	5311				740									29	16	13	—	1,144	1,384	347	3
Dublin City Southern Division	5311				552									195	93	9		2,648	2,443	1,399	20
Kingstown,	5311				252																
Total	933				1,544									195	109	22		4,282	3,532	2,349	23
KILDARE (16)																					
Athy	41	18	18	7	839									6				24	18	13	1
Ballymore Eustace	12	1	1		93													1	1	1	1
Carberry	21	3	3	1	76									1	1		1				
Castledermot,	14	7	7	11	179									6	2			7	7	1	
Celbridge	27	4	4		261													6	6	2	4
Clane,	21	13	11	3	30																
Curragh	46	42	5	6	1																
Donadea,	26	2	2		240																
Kilcullen	25	1	1		126									1	1	1	1	3	3	3	
Kildare	26	6	4	1	136					3	3							6	6	7	
Kilmeague	13	4	2	1	102									3	3						
Monasterevan	21	16	16	5	41													2	1	1	
Naas	51	5	16		150													10	10	15	
Newbridge	24	6		2	63									1	1	1		22	13	6	
Rathangan	22	6	2	3	113					1	1	1		3	3	2			4	2	
Total	401	138	109	48	2,559					4	4	1		21	10	4	2	87	77	53	5
KILKENNY (16)																					
Ballyragget,	29	5	4	4	91									1	1	1	1	16	8	5	
Callan	19				55													3	3		
Castlecomer,	23	7	17		154													6	6		
Freshford	23	7	2	4	28									2	2						
Gowran	11	2	2	1														1	1	1	
Graiguenamanagh	8	5	4	4	3													3	3	2	
Grange Old Castle Kilkenny	24	6		1	112																
Graigue	12	5	5		3													2	2		
Jamestown	22	3	3	3	69																
Kilmacow	23	5	3	3	225					2	1										
Kilmanagh	11	7	5	1	16									1	1						
Kilmoganny	15	3	3		76					3	3		3	2	2	2					
Piltown	16	3	5		68																
Rosbercon	11	2	2	1	78									2	2	1		4	3	1	
Stoneyford	19				52													3	3		
Thomastown	c 12			1	54													6	3		
Total,	265	61	58	23	1,194					5	4	0		8	8	4	1	44	33	9	
KILKENNY City (1)	24				24													26	28	8	
KING'S COUNTY (16)																					
Ballycumber,	13	4	4	1	35																
Banaghor,	26	11			192													1	1		
Clara,	23	10	8	3	185													6	6	4	
Clonegowan, Portarlington	21		7	1	41																
Edenderry,	24	14	2	2	33													4	4		
Lilly-Edenderry	21	15	14	6	76																
Parbane	28	2	2		417									2	2		2	8	2		2

a Including 2 Special Sessions.

b One Divisional Magistrate attended on every day throughout the year except Sundays, Good Friday and Christmas Day, and no Local Magistrate attends.

c Including 1 Special Petty Sessions.

d 1 was dismissed, 2 settled.

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PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES COUNTIES OF CITIES, OR OF TOWNS, AND PROVINCES	Attendance of Magistrates, and Number of Civil Cases other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants.					Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements for Waste 23 & 24 Vic, c. 154 s. 84				Summary Recovery of Possession for Non payment of Rent. 23 & 24 Vic, c. 154, s. 85				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding. 23 & 24 Vic, c. 154 s. 86				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding in Towns 14 & 15 Vic, c. 93 s. 13			
	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held	Number of days on which only one Magistrate, whether Local or Stipendiary, attended.	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended	Number of days on which not holden for Non attendance of Magistrates.	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Sum monses issued	Com plaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs issued	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession (Sec. xiii.	Sum monses issued	Com plaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs issued	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession (Sec. xiii.	Sum monses issued	Com plaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs issued	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession (Sec. xiii.	Sum monses issued	Com plaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs issued	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession (Sec. xiii.
LEINSTER—*continued.*																					
KING'S COUNTY—*continued.*																					
Frankford,	20	15	1	3	14									2	2						
Kilnalby,	423	0	2		46					1	1		1	1	1	1		51	1		
Monygrall,	24	1	1		22									2	2	2		6	4	2	
Moystown Farlane,	12	4	4	1	103									1							
Parsonstown,	41	5	11		63									5	2			16	11	7	
Philipstown,	22	7	7	4	67													1		1	
Shinrone,	26	1	6		115									1				1	1		
Thomastown, Frankford														2	1	1					
Tullamore,	12	6	3		1													17	13	15	
Total,	45	2	9	2	521																
	365	102	78	26	2,119					1	1		1	14	10	4	2	93	43	27	2
LONGFORD (11)																					
Ballinalee	10	4	3	6	45									5	2	2					
Ballinamuck,	8	7	1	8	22													6	6	1	
Ballymahon	26	6	6	6	59									2	1						
Currinkboy Colehill	8	6	8	5	21													1	1		
Drumlish,	16	7	1	6	18									7	4		4	1	1		1
Edgeworthstown	12	3	3	1	23									5	1	1		14	11	5	
Granard	16	5	2	16	74									1	1	1					
Keenagh	16	4	4	6	24																
Lanesboro,	12	3	1		46									3	1		1	42	42		42
Longford	45	15	2	7	101																
Newtownforbes,	22	8	4	4	26					1	1										
Total,	175	71	33	46	427					1	1			23	10	4	5	84	61	6	43
LOUTH (16)																					
Ardee,	27				32									2	2			6	4	1	
Carlingford,	28	3	3		284									4	4	4		3	1	1	
Castlebellingham	28	2	6	1	46																
Cellon	11	6	5	2	6									1	1	1		21	21	13	
Dundalk,	46		1		773									1							
Dunleer,	26	15	15	6	27													2	1		
Louth	26	1	3	1	183																
Mell Drogheda,	11			2	20					1											
Ravensdale	25	4	4		145																
Termonfeckin,	25	6	6	6	136																
Total,	240	40	46	15	1,884					1				8	7	5		34	27	15	
MEATH (17.)																					
Athboy	17	5	5	1	64									1	1	1	1				
Ballivor	14	6	7	3	6									1				1	1		
Dromakihil	16	3	2	2	30									2	2		1				
Drumconrath	23	12	12	5	66									1							
Dolenk	23	1	2	3	81									1				1			
Dunboyne,	17	1	1		7									2	2						
Dunshaughlin	17		2		22									1	1	1					
George's Cross,	26	7	7		21									2							
Julianstown,	24	3		2	35									3	3			12	8	1	
Kells,	28	1	1	1	96													2	2		1
Longwood,	15	2	3	3	44																
Moynalty	17	6	6	1	83													2			
Navan	24	2	2	1	54									2							
Oldcastle,	13	1	1		97									5	4	1					
Slane	21	6	6	5	0																
Summerhill,	13	1			4													2	2		
Trim	17	2	10	1	14																
Total,	316	61	79	26	735									22	14	4	2	26	16	1	1
QUEEN'S COUNTY (18)																					
Abbeyleix,	26	4	2		286									1				15	6	2	
Ballacolla,	26	6	6		24									4	4	1		3	1	1	
Ballinkmoyler,	49			3	64									2	2	1	1				
Ballybrittas,	33	16	14	16	26													3	1	1	
Ballyliman,	23	3		3	63													1			
Borris in Ossery	25	7	2	1	78									4	4	2	6	1			
Castletown and Coolrain	24	3	2	2	8					1	1			2				3	1	1	
Clonaslee	16	17	17	6	58													3	5	2	
Durrow	24	6	6	2	163									4	2	2		7	4	4	
Stradbrough,	47	16	23	2	196									3				24	17	6	
Mountmellick,	46	12	23	8	163									2				2	1	1	
Mountrath	24	12	11	2	251									1	1			16	6	4	
Portarlington,	43				178													8	5	2	
Rathdowney,	23	4	1	1	132									2	2	2		6	6	3	
Stradbally,	25	4	4	2	122																
Timahoe,	24	6	17		103																
Total,	431	121	161	46	2,271					1	1			25	18	6	2	98	55	27	

a On three days there were no Petty Sessions held in consequence of Assizes or Quarter Sessions

b Dismissed

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	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held	Number of days on which only one Magistrate, whether Local or Stipendiary, attended	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended	Number of days on which no Magistrate for the Petty Sessions District attended	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Sum mons issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a undertaking to give up possession. See 24.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was undertaking to give up possession. See 25.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was undertaking to give up possession. Sect. 26.	Summons issued.	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a day of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession. See 28.
LEINSTER—*continued*.																					
WESTMEATH (18)																					
Ballynacarg	19		1	12	48													4	4		4
Ballymore,	21	5	5		27									4	1						
Brawney	22		3	5	153													21	13	4	
Castlepollard,	45	17	17	6	46									3	2	2		1			
Chamellen	14	12	13	2	22													1	1		1
Coltherstown,	21	9	3	4	18									1							
Delvin,	13	13	9	14	55									2				1	1	1	
Glasson	23	5	6	1	62									1	1	1					
Killegan,	25	3	4	1	103									2	2	1					
Kilbixan	27	5	5		68									5	3			4	2		
Knockdrin Mullingar,	19	15	15	7	12									2							
Moate	21	1			55									2	2			2	2	1	
Mullingar	48	1	1	8	66									5	5	1		36	16	8	
Multifarnham	20		6	6	34																
Rathowen	31	2	1	4	55									2	2		2				
Rosinfert Tyrrellspass,	24			1	185																
Total,	310	81	80	69	1,016									38	13	5	3	64	42	15	5
WEXFORD (13)																					
Arklestown	11	3	5		16					43				10	10	0					
Clonroche Enniscorthy	12	1	1		70									7	4			4	4		
Duncormuck Bridge	12	5	4		186									1	1			5	2	1	
Enniscorthy,	48	8	10	3	18	1								8	7	2		32	23	8	
Ferns,	23	8	3	3	51									3	2	1		5	3	2	
Gorey	24	2	3	2	46									7	1	1		11	7	1	
Killinick Wexford,	13	2	2		19									5	3	1	1				
New Ross,	42	5	6		254									5	3			42	27	11	
Newtownbarry,	25	5	4	1	45									1	1			5	3	1	
Oulart	11	5	3	1	103									3	3	1					
Taginon	26	5	5	1	125									2	2			1	1		
Wexford,	31		3	1	71									3	4	1		34	42	42	
Total,	298	50	52	12	1 380	1				43				53	46	10	1	159	112	12	
WICKLOW (13)																					
Arklow,	25	1	2	1	205									2				18	12	8	
Ballinglass	28	27			2									2				11	13	2	
Blessington	25	7	6	3	47																
Bray (1869)	28				52	1	1		1					1	1		1	13	34		1
Carnew	12	2	1		15													1	1		
Castleone, Tullow	12	2			20									1	1	1		1	1		
Dunlavin	27	1	8	1	42									2	2						
Enniskerry,																					
N. E. Mountkennedy,	26	4	4		3									1	1	1					
Ovoca late Redcross,	24	1	1	1	8*									3							
Rathdrum,	26	3	11		16													2	2	2	
Tinehely,	25	4	1	1	42									2	2			1	1		
Wicklow,	24				23													17	17	14	
Total,	271	62	50	7	623	1	1		1					14	7		1	125	103	24	
TOTAL OF LEINSTER	4,877	893	711	328	18,076	2	1		1	87	13	4	1	425	233	82	25	5 210	4 029	2,678	85
MUNSTER.																					
CLARE (20.)																					
Ballyvaughan,	18	11	7	0	68									3	3	1		5	4	1	
Broadford	20	6	5	4	29																
Carrigaholt,	15	8	14	7	121																
Corrofin	20	3	2	6	274									18	3	2	1	3	3	1	
Cratloe	17	4	13	7	76									5	2	1					
Doonas, Castleconnell	22	4	4	2	45									1	1	1					
Ennis	48	8	5	1	380									20	9	5		36	28	28	
Enniskimen	22	3	2	0	151									18	4			26	15	2	2
Feakle	17	8	15		104									2	2	1	1	1	1	1	
Killadysert	19	1	8	8	122									4	2	1	1	1			
Killee	25	3	3		112													5	0	1	
Kilrush,	24	3	3	2	345									2	1			6	5	3	
Kilrush,	58				285									5	3			26	12	12	
Knock,	23	6	2	5	149									5	5	2					
Miltown Malbay,	23				244									5	3			7	4	3	
Newmarket-on-Fergus,	26	6	7	8	71									2	1	1		6	3		1
Quin	5	3	3	4	63									4	3			3			
Sixmilebridge,	21	3	1	4	57									3	2	1	1				
Tomgraney	20	3	5		103									3	5	1	2				
Tulla,	21	1	5		1 2									4	5	2	1	3	2	1	
Total,	455	74	103	62	3 614									91	53	18	7	124	93	45	3

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	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held	Number of days on which only one Magistrate whether Local or Stipendiary attended	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended	Number of days on which not holden for Non-attendance of Magistrates.	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 35.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 35.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 86.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 86.
MUNSTER—*continued.*																					
CORK (24.)																					
Aboglane, Donaghmore	23	11	11	4	163																
Ballincollig	25	6	6	1	111									2	2						
Ballineen	24	3	2	2	130									2	3			2	2		
Ballinspittle	24	3	6	2	87									1	1	1	1				
Ballydehob	12				48													4	3	2	
Ballymartle	23	3	5		42																
Ballycurney,	26	15			66																
Bandon	43			7	84													28	13	6	
Bantry,	25		1	1	136													6	5	1	2
Blarney	22	2	2	2	254									3	2						
Butlerstt,	26	7	7		132													5	5	2	
Carrickbuoy Bantry,	26	18	16	1	66																
Carrigaline,	27	2	2	1	428																
Castlemartyr,	26	4	3	1	152																
Castletown Berehaven,	26	4	14	1	27									1	1		1				
Castletownroche	27	2	3	1	111	1	1	1										3	1	1	
Cecilstown	22	13	13	3	47													3	4	1	
Charleville,	26	2	2		142													12	8	7	
Clonakilty	44			8	86													5	5	3	
Cloyne	24	4	2	2	93																
Coachford,	53	3	2	2	196																
Cobh,	a 24	18	3		64																
Doneraile,	18		6	6	423									2	1	1	1	2	2	2	
Douglas,	24		5	2	132																
Drimoleague	24	3	3	3																	
Dunmanway,	25	4	4		116									2	1	1		6	6	3	
Farran	11	3	7	1	91																
Fermoy,	24				348									2	1			44	31	4	
Gurteen Skibbereen,	23	5		61	25													1	1	1	1
Inishannon,	26	3	1	3	280													1	1	1	1
Kanturk	24			2	271									3	2			4	2	1	
Kilbarrovy,	28	2	3		73									3							
Kinsale,	33	5	11		283													32	15	5	1
Knocknagree Millstreet	11	7	3	2	81																
Lisgarrell	21	3	7	3	53																
Macroom	26		1		265									6	4	4		21	17	13	
Mallow	42				166					7	7	3		3	2			15	16	6	
Midleton	26	4	1		73													17	14	10	
Millstreet,	26		3	1	168									2	2	2		7	7	3	
Mitchelstown,	25	3	3	1	366									3				14	3	4	
Newmarket	18	1	1	1	216													2	2		
Passage West,	51			3	84													18	18	8	
Queenstown,	187	8	6		212									1	1	1	1	32	28	6	
Rathcormack,	22	4	4	4	110									3	3	2		1	1		
Rathmoon Dairy	22	18	4	4	51									3	1						
Riverstown,	26	1	1		53																
Rosscarberry,	28	2	5		39									1	1	1	1				
Shandonagan Macroom	14	2	2	2	68													1			
Skibbereen,	44		2		270									10	12	2	2	12			
Skull	12	2	2		28																
Timoleague,	25				56																
Tracton, Carrigaline,	25	19	18	1	167																
Union Hall,	24	2			95																
Youghal	52				37													20	15	15	
Total,	1,645	226	209	80	7 818	1	1	1		1	7	3		63	76	15	8	302	223	139	6
CORK City, (1)	366	11	1		1,646									1	1	1		348	348	426	
KERRY (24.)																					
Ameascal,	13	2	4		130																
Ballylongford,	26	8	5	2	146									2	1	1	1	2			
Caherciveen,	24	1	1		284													13	6	1	
Cahirdaniel,	11	4	4	1	71																
Castlegregory,	12	5		1	280																
Castleisland,	21	2	2		44									5	1		1	12	8	2	2
Causeway,	13	10	6	7	188	5	3														
Cealmagert,	12				56									6	5	1	1				
Dingle,	17	8	6	5	258									2	2		2	6	4	2	
Gneeshtough,	21	7	5	4	181													7	4	3	
Kenmare,	24	1	1		318													34	24	16	
Killarney	48	4	7	1	327									8	8	2					
Killeiglin,	13	1	1		449									5	2						
Kilpaddor,	12		1		111									6	1						
Listowel,	49	8	3	1	249									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Milltown,	15				173																
O'Dorney, Causeway,	16	9	4	7	243	2	1		1												
Portmagee, Caherciveen,	18	7	16		29													2	2		1
Rathmore Millstreet,	11	3	2	2	132													3	2	2	
Sneem	12	6	6		71																
Tarbert,	22	4	4	4	31									1	1						
Tralee	52	1			387									2	2			63	47	19	
Valentia	11	4	2	2	12																
Waterville, Caherciveen	13				31																
Total	484	85	75	37	4 123	8	4		1					57	28	5	6	198	89	40	3

a On one day no Petty Sessions held, in consequence of Magistrates attending Assizes.

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PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES, COUNTIES OF CITIES, OR OF TOWNS, AND PROVINCES.	Attendance of Magistrates, and Number of Civil Cases other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants.					Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Iue Waste 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 84				Summary Recovery of Possession for Non payment of Rent 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 85.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding 22 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 86.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding in Towns 14 & 15 Vic., c. 92, s. 16			
	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held	Number of days on which only one Magistrate whether Local or Stipendiary attended	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended	Number of days on which not holden for non-attendance of Magistrates.	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Sum monses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 28.	Sum monses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 28.	Sum monses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 28.	Sum monses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 28.
MUNSTER—*continued.*																							
LIMERICK (22.)																							
Abbeyfeale,	17	16	3	8	197													4	9	2			
Adare,	12	8	1	1	10									1									
Askeaton	24	13	8	2	69													3	4				
Ballingarry,	18	1	1		96									1	1	1		5	4	1			
Ballyneety, Limerick,	21	5		5	181					1	1	1						5	4	1			
Bruff	22	7	4	4	223					2	1							1	1	1			
Bruree,	22	5	2	1	256									6				14	7	3			
Castleconnell,	24				87													2	2	d			
Croom	24	20	1	1	81																		
Fayoes,	20	4	6	1	228													1	1	1			
Gelbally	20				216									1	1	1		5	5	1			
Glin,	21	2	9	5	106									2	3	3		3	2				
Hospital	26	4	6	2	113									2	1		1						
Kilfinane,	25	2	2		33													16	7	3			
Kilmallock,	25			6	205													1	1				
Limerick Liberties,	47				79																		
Murroe	28	9	7		138									4	1	1		6	4	1			
Newcastle,	447	6	6	6	1 260									7	6			16	16				
New Pallas Pallasgreen,	22	2		2	194									1	1			2					
Pallaskenry	22	9	1	4	35									6	1	1		2	1	1			
Patrickswell,	26	3	3	2	192																		
Rathkeale,	23	4	2	1	74													6	3				
Total,	552	135	53	46	4,126					3	2	1		31	12	7	1	83	68	14			
LIMERICK City and Police Court	46	12	6		2,346													358	190	160			
TIPPERARY (26)																							
Ardfinnan	25	12	6	3	80									1									
Ballynonty, Thurles,	23	1	1		172									7	7								
Ballyporeen	11	11	4	7	63									1				1					
Bansha,	12	6	5		51									2	2			1	1				
Borrisokane,	26	2	2		136									12	9		5	1	1				
Borrisoleigh,	24	1	1	2	78													5	2	2			
Cahir	26	4	2		62									6	3	2		13	12	3			
Cappawhite,	24	5	2	2	181									2	2	1		5	2				
Carrick on Suir,	26	2	2		168									1	1			40	18	13			
Cashel	50	4	11		127													24	19	10			
Cloghton,	26	11	6	6	111													6	5	4			
Clonmel	22	10	10	2	39									6	3	2							
Clonmel Borough,	42	14	14	3	22													36	25	20			
Cloughjordan	13	5	5		16									2	2	1		1	1				
Dundrum,	24	5	6	2	86									2	2								
Fethard,	10			1	132													7	7	6			1
Golden	18	2	6	1	35													3	2	1			
Lorrha	13	1	5		53									2									
Mullinahone	22	6	8	1	101									1									
Nenagh	50			2	342									9	5	2		41	22	11			4
New Inn,	16	7	1	1	83									1									
Newport	24		2	2	242									16	10	8	6						
Roscrea	51			1	77									1	1	1		16	8	6			
Templemore,	48	4			89									2	1			4	2	1			
Thurles,	540				1,176									2	6	1		28	24	20			1
Tipperary,	97	2	2	5	254									1	1			20	24	16			
Total,	736	129	102	41	4,714									76	51	14	11	283	187	113			6
WATERFORD (County and City) (16)																							
Ardmore	22	11	11	3	64																		
Ballymacarby Clonmel,	13	6	7		22									1									
Callahuna Waterford	12	2	4		20																		
Cappoquin	21	1	2	2	76									8	3	2		2	2	2			
Carrickbeg, Ck on-Suir,	14	5	7	1	44													2	1	1			
Clashmore	12	14	14	4	58																		
Clonmel (Rural),	12	3	7		16									2	2								
Dungarvan	51	2	2	1	609					5	5	4						29	25				
Kilmacthomas,	25	4	4	1	308													3	1				
Lismore	26		6	1	138									4	4	3		15	7	7			
Portlaw	11	2	4	1	27									2				1					
Stradbally	26	4	4		471									1	1			16	2				
Tallow	21	8	9	5	420													5	6	3			
Tramore,	24	1	6		44													6	3				
Villierstown Clashmore,	16	10	10	10	40																		
Waterford (St. Patrick's Hall),	13				17																		
Total,	341	76	94	29	2 419					5	5	4		14	10	5		81	49	14			
WATERFORD City, (1),	52				361													168	115	74			
WATERFORD Police Court,	311	74	81		6																		
TOTAL OF MUNSTER,	4,522	729	642	286	22,706	6	5	1	1	16	14	8		205	184	66	34	2,337	1,654	840	17		

a On four days there were no Petty Sessions held in consequence of Assizes or Quarter Sessions.
b On two days Petty Sessions not held in consequence of Assizes or Quarter Sessions
c On one day there were no Petty Sessions held in consequence of Quarter Sessions.
d No warrant issued, possession given up.

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PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES, COUNTIES OF CITIES, OR OF TOWNS, AND PROVINCES	Attendance of Magistrates, and Number of Civil Cases other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants.					Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements for Waste 23 & 24 Vic, c. 154, s. 64				Summary Recovery of Possession for Non payment of Rent 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, c. 65				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Ovenbilding 23 & 24 Vic c. 154 s. 86.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overbuilding in Towns 14 & 15 Vic c. 92 s. 16			
	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held	Number of days on which only one Magistrate with Local or Subpœnaary, attended	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended	Number of days on which no Local Magistrate or Magistrates	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants).	Sum issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 10 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 66	Sum issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 10 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 66	Sum issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 86.	Sum issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 92
ULSTER.																					
ANTRIM: (26.)																					
Aloghill,	11	3	1	1	16													4	1		
Antrim	12				40									21	14	10	10				
Ballycastle,	10	1	1	1	46									2	1		1	7	3		
Ballyclare,	17	6	6	1	43													2	1	1	
Ballymena,	25	1	1	1	262									1	1	1		28	23	29	
Ballymoney,	24				134					2	1							18	11		
Belfast,	310	45	102		2 094													1 695	781	717	
Bushmills,	12				12									6	4						
Carrickfergus (District),	9	6	6		3									4							
Crumlin	15	1	1		126													1	1		
Cushendall,	10	6	6															1	1		1
Doagh	12	1	1		56									7	6		1	1	1		
Glenarm	13	4	4		2		1							3	2	2	1	1	1		
Killagan, Slavey,	11	6	7	1	100	3								3	2		2				
Larne	20	1	1		73											2		10	10	10	
Ligoniel, Belfast,	22	9	6		14									1	1	1					
Lisburn	26	6	3	1	80									1				25	12	7	
Parkgate Antrim,	10	10	10	2	58																
Parkgreene,	12	6	2		380									2	2	2		16	14	6	
Randalstown,	13	1	1		163									5							
Rasharkin Kilrea,	12	6	4		60									3							
Toomebridge	13	6	3		111					1											
Whitehouse, Belfast,	17				24																
Total,	552	114	106	8	3 749	3	1			3	1			53	36	17	16	1 761	966	774	1
ARMAGH (16)																					
Armagh	62	6	6		675									2	2	2		53	36	25	
Ballybot,	49				166									6	2	1		6	6	1	
Clonmacate, Loughgall,	12	1	1		52													1			
Cranmagilen,	12		4		186																
Forkhill,	12		6		111													4	4		2
Keady	24	10	10		102									4	4						
Loughgall,	all	6	1		55													24	16	7	5
Lurgan	28	2	1	1	85									3	3				2		
Markethill,	12	1	1		151					2	2			3	2						
Middletown Tynee	11	1	1	4	19					1	1			7	2	1		4	2	3	
Moy,	24	2			67									4	4	1	3	3	3	1	3
Newtownhamilton,	12	7	7		46	46	26			2	1			3	2	2		38	27	3	
Portadown,	24	3	19		129																
Poyntzpass,	18	1	6	6	82									7	2			7	2		
Tandragee	12	2	1		135									2							
Tynee,	12				31																
Total,	320	42	63	7	1 767	46	26			5	4			41	24	7	3	143	96	40	5
CARRICKFERGUS, Town of (1)	20	3	5		46													16	7	1	
CAVAN[1] (18.)																					
Arvin,																					
Ballieborough	22	13	7	2	44													3	3	3	
Ballyeagh, Cavan,	9	3	1	6	30									6	4	1		7	4	1	
Ballyconnell,	22	12	7	4	67									7	4	1	1	1	1		
Ballyjamesduff	12	6	4	0	93									12							
Bawnboy,	26	16	16	6	101													7	5	4	
Belturbet	48	19	17	03	109													1	1		1
Blacklion,	14	4	2		101									11	11			17	5	3	
Cavan	43	14	13	4	142									7	1	1					
Cootehill	26				263									3	2	2	1	1	1	1	
Killeshandra,	24	8		2	27									6	3						
Kilnaleck,	11	2	1	3	107					1				4	2	1		11	4	1	
Kingscourt,	16	7	12	3	62					2	1			2	1	1					
Mountnugent,	11	7	7	7	39									1	1	1	1				
Mullagh	14	3	1	2	41									10	2						
Shercock	21	11	14	5	46									5	3		3				
Swanlinbar,	20	7	7	5	124									6	2	2		6	4		
Virginia,	16	7	6	1	113																
Total,	353	140	109	58	1 779					3	1			82	37	11	6	56	29	14	1
DONEGAL[2] (22)																					
Ardara	12	4	1		74									6	6			2	2		
Arranmore Island,	11	7	4	1	16													2			
Ballintra,	22	16	16	4	41													12	6	1	
Ballyshannon,	24	11	12	1	319																
Barnesmore	18	10	16	7	266													3	2	1	
Beaumaris	326		2		28									1	1						
Burnfoot Derry,	12	1			67					2	2	1	1	1	11						
Carndonagh	13				260																
Cheren hill,	24	12	11		200													17	9	6	
Donegal	17	5	1		160													1	1	1	
Dunfanaghy,	24	16	6	2	76													1	1		
Dunfine	19	10		6	161																
Falcarragh	24	5	0	2	48													1	1		
Glenties,	12	3	3		45													1			
Killybegs,	16	2	2		21					1				1	1	1					

[a] One Court not held in consequence of the resignation of the Clerk
[b] One Petty Sessions not held in consequence of Quarter Sessions being held but not for non attendance of Magistrates, one Special Petty Sessions held
[c] On two days there were no Petty Sessions held in consequence of Assizes being held
[d] One Petty Sessions not held in consequence of Magistrates being summoned on Grand Jury
[e] On two other days there were no Petty Sessions held in consequence of Assizes or Quarter Sessions being held
[f] Dismissed
[g] Stay of execution for 14 and 7 days
[h] Eight days' stay of execution in each case

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PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES COUNTIES OF CITIES, OR OF TOWNS, AND PROVINCES	Attendance of Magistrates, and Number of Civil Cases other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants.					Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements for Waste. 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154 s. 34				Summary Recovery of Possession for Non-payment of Rent 23 & 24 Vic. c. 154 s. 35.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding. 23 & 24 Vic. c. 154 s. 36.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding in Towns. 14 & 15 Vic. c. 92, s. 15.			
	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held.	Number of days on which only one Magistrate, whether Local or Stipendiary attended.	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended.	Number of days on which not less than for Non attendance of Magistrates.	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days at Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 35.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days at Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 35.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days. Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 35.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 36.
ULSTER—*continued*																					
DONEGAL—*continued*.																					
Letterkenny,	24	7	7	2	375									5	3	2		18	11	6	
Lifford	24	3	3		39									1	1			4	4		
Mailn,	12			1	228																
Milford	24	10	4	2	180													1			
Moville,	12		1		262					3	2	1	1								
Newtown Cunningham	12	2	3		97					0	3	1	1	4	4	2	2				
Pettigoe	10	1	1	2	24									1	1			1	1		
Raneelieu,	23	1	1	3	131													6	6	1	
Raphoe	21		11	5	262					7	3			2	1			6	3	2	
Rathmullen	21	16	5	5	140																
Stranorlar	20	6	3	1	197													15	9	4	
Tuamey,	25	3	0	2	141									3	3	3					
Total,	96	150	116	45	3 260					13	12	3	3	25	21	8	2	92	68	28	
DOWN (28)																					
Ardglass and Killough	12	1	1		13					1	1	1		1	1						
Ballynahinch,	22	18	2	2	17																
Banbridge,	31	1	1	1	43									2	1			9	4		
Bangor,	24				38									1	1	1		2	2	2	
Castlewellan	12				47																
Donaghadee,	22	6	6	2	26													6	6	3	
Downpatrick,	27	6	5	1	84													4	4	4	
Dromara,	20	3	1		20																
Dromore,	26	6	0		53									3	0	3		7	4	1	
Florida Manor Killinchy	12	1	1		28									1	1	1	1				
Gilford	12	1			31													6	6		
Grey Abbey,	12	11	11		10									2				4	4	3	
Hillsborough,	12	7	7		113																
Holywood	24				33																
Kilkeel	12				37													6	1	1	
Kilkyleagh	25	1	1		17									1	1			2	2	1	
Moira	12				68									7	2	2		1			
Newry	48				130													58	41	6	
Newtownards,	24				131									2	1	1		54	30	20	
Newtownabrach,	12	4	3		20									1	1	1					
Portaferry	12	3	3		13													1	1	1	
Rathfriland	24	4	4		342					1								14	10	6	
Saintfield	16	1	1		45									2	2		2	2	2	2	
Saularis	11	2	2		34													6	6	1	
Warringstown,	13	6	3		10																
Warrenpoint,	24	1	1		66																
Total,	502	81	69	8	1,401					2	1	1		30	18	9	3	179	114	57	
FERMANAGH (14)																					
Ballock	11	1	1	1	74									1							
Brookborough	21	14	14	0	64					2	2	1									
Derrygonnelly	12	7	4	3	283									10	2	2	7	2	2	2	2
Derrylin	11	6	3	1	93									1	1	1					
Enniskillen	48	1	1	1	26													25	17	6	
Irvinestown	26	0		4	153									1	1			1			
Kesh	16	2	2	2	206									12	5			4	2		
Lack	12	2	2		170	4	3														
Letterbreen	10	2	1	2	43									3	1						
Lisbellow,	11	4	4	1	76									2	2	2					
Lisnaskea,	24	4	4		171																
Newtownbutler,	16	6	3	0	73					1	1			1	1		1	1	3	4	3
Pettigoe																					
Rosslea	11	0	0	2	43									2	2						
Total,	215	69	44	33	1 475	4	3			3	3	1		33	22	5	8	42	28	13	2
LONDONDERRY (County and City) (14)																					
Claudy	11	1	1	1	73																
Coleraine,	26	1	1		65																
Draperstown,	12				108									3	2		2	14	9	5	
Dungiven	12				125													2	1		1
Eglinton-Derry,	11	1	4	4	20																
Garvagh	12	1	1		689									2	1			7	2		
Limavady, Portglenone	12	6	2		220													3	2		
Kilrea	12				83													2	1	1	1
Londonderry (City)	76				242													170	75	22	
Londonderry (City and County)	12				16																
Magher	12				98									7	2	0		3	2	2	
Magherafelt,	12				913									7	1	1		25	13	13	
Moneymore,	12	2	2		268					4	3	3									
Newtownlimavady,	23	3	3		103									3	3			4	2		
Total,	253	14	14	5	2,461					4	3	3		22	9	4	2	232	107	44	2
MONAGHAN (8)																					
Ballybay,	23	6	7	3	229	1	1							15	13	4		13	12	12	
Carrickmacross,	220	1	3		155					2	1							6	2	2	
Clones,	23	6	13	1	50					1								0	7	0	

a On 6 days there were no Petty Sessions held in consequence of Assizes or Quarter Sessions.

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PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES, COUNTIES OF CITIES, OR OF TOWNS, AND PROVINCES	Attendance of Magistrates and Number of Civil Cases other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants					Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements for Waste 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154 s. 34				Summary Recovery of Possession for Non-payment of Rent 23 & 24 Vic., c. 154, s. 35.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding 23 & 24 Vic.—c. 154 s. 36				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding in Towns 14 & 15 Vic. c. 92, s. 15.			
	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held.	Number of days on which only one Magistrate Local or Stipendiary attended	Number of days on which more than one Local Magistrate attended	Number of days on which not holden for Non-attendance of Magistrates.	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Summonses issued	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 36.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 35.	Summonses issued	Complaints heard	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 36.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenants undertaking to give up possession Sec. 15.
ULSTER—*continued*																					
MONAGHAN—*continued.*																					
Castleblayney	22		1	4	26									2	2			16	16	4	
Emyvale	23	7	6	1	126	1	1							1							
Monaghan	52	18	14		184									2	2	2		21	16	13	
Newbliss	14	4	4		72									2	1			2	2	1	
Rockcorry	12		1		46					1				2	1	1		1	1	1	
Total	187	34	46	9	876	2	2			4	1			24	16	7		61	55	17	
TYRONE (21)																					
Aughnacloy	24	4	4	1	36									1	3	1		5	3	1	
Ballygawley	21	1	1		135									1	1			10	6	7	
Caledon	12	3	7		64									2	2		1	1	3		3
Carrickmore	10	2	2	2	65									6	5	1	1	2			
Castlederg	11	3	1	1	278									2	2	1		4	3	2	
Cloghe	12				48					1	1							2	2		
Coagh	18	1	1		122					1	1	1						5	4	4	
Cookstown	25	2	2		231									2	1	1		26	15	13	
Donemanagh	11	1	1	1	117									4	3		1				
Dungannon	26				158									3	1	1		13	10	10	
Fintona	27	1	1		72									3	2			13	12		
Fivemiletown	11	1	1	1	42									2	1			1		1	
Gortin	11			1	152																
Moy	24	2			38									1	1			1	1	1	1
Newtownstewart	13	3	2	1	252									3	2	1		6	6	4	
Omagh	23	1	1		244													34	19	16	
Pomeroy	12	1	1		16									5	5	3	3	4	4		
Sixmilecross Beragh	11	3	8	1	228	1	1	1						5	5	3		11	6	5	
Stewartstown	16		1		316									2	1			11	6	6	
Strabane	24	3	3		225									7	7			32	18	2	
Trillick	19	5	6	6	161									6	6						
Total,	363	38	37	14	3,666	1	1	1		2	2	1		56	46	12	7	186	124	73	4
TOTAL OF ULSTER,	3,777	672	667	183	26,718	66	33	1		44	28	9	3	360	253	88	46	2,789	1,444	1,077	14
CONNAUGHT																					
GALWAY (30)																					
Abbeyknockmoy	11	2	2	1	44													2	1	1	
Ardrahan	21	16	2	5	60									6	3	2	2				
Arran	23	20	23	1	7									1	1			12	12	10	
Athenry	22	12	11	3	189									1	1						
Ballinamore	13	3	12		101									2	3	3		32	17	10	
Ballinasloe	48	6	6	4	180													1	1		
Ballygar	11	2	2	1	472																
Ballymoe	9	7		3	32																
Carna Clifden	27	2	1		297	6	4											2	2	2	
Castletown	10	9	4	10	47																
Clifden	40	1			627																
Clonbur	22	8	11	3	61																
Derreen	20	11	6	4	92																
Dunmore	28	3	10		336													5	2	1	1
Eyrecourt	11	3		5	68									2	2	2		3	3	3	
Gort	91	5	11	1	566									1	1	1	1				
Gurteen	16	1		2	140									7	6	1					
Headford	28	12	10	3	93													3			
Kilkinny	9	2	3	3	166									1	1	1	1	5	5	5	5 d
Kilvarra	22	17	1	4	60																
Lawrencetown	24		8		168									1	1	1					
Letterfrack	18				338									2	1			23	15	6	
Loughrea	37	2	3	15	179									2							
Mana	12	6	4	1	46									1	1						
Milltown	13	10		13	256									1	1		1	2	1	1	
Monivea	16	11	2	6	63									1	1						
Mountshannon	11	2	2	1	100									5	5	2	2	1	1		
Oranmore	14	6	4	10	204													2	2	1	1
Oughterard	26	2	1		208									1				2	2		
Portumna	26	1	16		82																
Roundstone	25	23		1	224	2	2											1	1	1	
Spiddle	13	2	8	1	113													1	1	1	
Tuam	21	4	6	3	162																
Williamstown	16	12	1	6	92													3	2	2	2
Woodford	624	5	4		86																
Total,	737	237	166	114	5,952	8	6							33	26	13	6	189	63	44	8
COUNTY OF TOWN OF GALWAY,	56	8	8	6	73									43	66	21					
LEITRIM (14)																					
Ballinamore	26	3	2		216									3	2	1		7	7		
Carrick on Shannon	22	6	11	4	165									6	3	2		7	4	3	
Carrigallen	22	9	1	4	92													1	1		
Cashcarrigne	12	1	1	1	246																
Cloone Mohill	17	10	1	3	110									2	2		1	1	1	1	
Drumshanbo	23	7	5	3	134																
Dromod	18	11	3	3	86									3				1	1		
Drumkeeran	22	6		4	486									1				1	1		
Drumshanbo	24	6	6	2	525									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Drumsna	15	5	13	5	127																

a One Petty Sessions adjourned, and one not held it being Christmas Day *b* Case dismissed. *c* Warrant not executed. *d* Executed within ten days

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PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS ARRANGED IN COUNTIES COUNTIES OF CITIES OR OF TOWNS AND PROVINCES	Attendance of Magistrates, and Number of Civil Cases other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants.					Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements for Wants 23 & 24 Vic. c. 154. s. 64				Summary Recovery of Possession for Non-payment of Rent, 23 & 24 Vic. c. 154. s. 85				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements 23 & 24 Vic. c. 154, s. 86.				Summary Recovery of Possession of Tenements Overholding in Towns. 14 & 15 Vic., c. 92, s. 18			
	Number of days on which Petty Sessions held.	Number of days on which only one Magistrate was either Local or Stipendiary attended	Number of days on which only one Local Magistrate attended.	Number of days on which no Local Magistrate attended at Magistrates.	Number of Civil Cases (other than Proceedings as to Cottier Tenants)	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay allowed on undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 38.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay allowed on undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 38.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay allowed on undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 38.	Summonses issued.	Complaints heard.	Warrants to Special Bailiffs signed.	Number of cases in which there was a stay of execution for 14 days on Tenant undertaking to give up possession. Sec. 38.
CONNAUGHT—*continued.*																					
LEITRIM—*continued*																					
Killyoglier,	11	4	6	1	39													6	6	3	
Mohaugh,	12				39																
Manorhamilton	26	6	4		150					11	6	6									
Mohill	23	6	4	4	349									7	4	2		8	7	3	
Total,	272	66	68	42	2,745					11	8	6		26	16	6	2	34	26	12	
MAYO (24)																					
Achill,	13	1	10		160																
Balla,	19	9	6	5	79													1	1		
Ballaghaderreen,	16	16	6	6	76									7	2			5	25		
Ballina	46	2	3	6	426													33	16	16	
Ballinadine,	26	6	2	2	54																
Ballinrobe	43	7	16	2	309													13	7	2	
Ballycastle	22	1	3	4	315	1								2	2	2	2	3	2	1	
Ballycroy	14	9	6	12	54																
Ballyglass,	10	10		7	116																
Ballyhaunis	17	3	3	9	84									1				1			
Belmullet,	26	18		1	1 820													3	6	1	
Castlebar,	47	16	6	2	243									6	6	2		20	13	7	
Claremorris	22	4	2		106													5	6	6	
Cong (1872),	23	16	10	4	44													1	1	1	
Crossmolina	20	9	1	6	453													4	3		3
Foxford	21	9	7	4	377													12	10	3	
Hollymount,	16	6	2	8	141					2	1			2	1	1					
Killala,	24	10	9	2	166													4	4		
Kilmaine,	22	5	7	4	58									3	3	3		3	3	3	
Louisburgh	29	8	6	1	239													1	1		1
Lowpark,	17	11		6	151									4	1	1		10	6	3	
Newport,	24	8	5		691									6	3			6	3	1	
Swinford	26	4	2	4	158													17	8	6	
Westport,	42	2	1	5	115									3	3	1		6	8	6	
Total	563	185	119	103	6,211	1				2	1			31	23	16	2	135	108	54	4
ROSCOMMON (21)																					
Athlone	25	8	3		208													17	11	3	
Ballinagare, Frenchpark	11	6	6	2	28													2			
Ballintlough Castlerea,	15	6	4	11	48																
Ballintober Ballymoe	13	2	3	3	27									2	3		3				
Ballymurnan	16	3	1		26					2	2										
Ballyforan Ahascragh	8	4	2	5	66													1	1		
Boyle	26	1	1		65									1				6	2	2	
Brideswell, Athlone	11	8	4	1	77									1	1						
Castlerea	47	7	16	5	61					3	2			1							
Castlerory Mount Talbot,	11	4	1	1	30													1	1		
Castlestall, Boyle,	10	6	1	2	6									1							
Creghan Boyle	11	5		2	26									1							
Elphin	22	3	3	1	46													3	3		
Frenchpark	16	7	2	10	34									1	1	1		1			
Hillstreet,	6	2		3	26									1	1						
Keadue	12	2	2	1	26									1	1		1				
Lecarrow	12	4		1	43																
Roscommon,	24	1	1		231									2	2	1		6	1	1	
Ruskey	11	2		1	329									3	2	1		2			
Strokestown,	23	4	3		105																
Tulsk	11	2	2	1	20																
Total,	348	88	49	56	1 556					5	4			16	10	4	4	42	19	6	
SLIGO (14)																					
Ballinafad,	11	3	4	2	123																
Ballymote,	23	11	6	3	191									7				6	4	2	
Collooney,	13	2	2	1	48													6	3		
Coolaney	10	2	1	3	53									2	2						
Dromore West, Easkey,	26	12	3	5	302									4	1						
Enniscrone,	11	3	1	1	152					1	1			1	1		1				
Grange	24	4	4	1	252									1	1	1	1				
Mullaghroe,	24	5	7	2	163									2	2						
Riversdown, Collooney,	11	11	9	1	25	1	1							6	6						
Skreen	12	6	1		106									5	2	2					
Sligo Borough,	43	1	1		140													106	70	23	
Sligo County Court	18	3	2	1	54									4							
Sooey Collooney	11	11	8	1	18																
Tobercurry, Ballymote,	21	8	5	8	223									3	3			8	4		
Total,	264	89	61	67	1,705	1	1			1	1			31	19	3	2	129	81	26	
TOTAL OF CONNAUGHT,	2 254	692	456	342	18,236	6	7	—	—	19	14	6	—	130	125	67	16	464	366	141	13
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	15,134	2 942	6,531	1,144	70,862	76	46	2	2	146	69	27	4	1 276	615	285	116	16,625	3,892	4 834	126

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